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Partly cloudy tonight
and Wednesday; no
temperature change

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PRICE TWO CENTS

GILBERTSON HELD BY FEDERAL GRAND JURY FOR FRAUD IN BANKRUPTCY CASE

COMMITTED TO DANE COUNTY
JAIL IN DEFAULT OF BAIL

BOND IS FIXED AT \$5,000

UNABLE TO PUT UP CASH HE
SEEKS AID

BOND IS MADE UP HERE

Friends of Gilbertson Arrange For it
and Papers Will Be Signed
Tonight

MADISON, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—The federal grand jury today returned an indictment against Louis Gilbertson the La Crosse shoe man whose tribulations have extended over a period of two years, on a charge of "conspiring to conceal money as a bankrupt."

Judge Sanborn fixed Gilbertson's bond at \$5,000, in default of which he was sent to the Dane county jail. It is said here that friends of the prisoner in La Crosse are endeavoring to secure the necessary bail.

Attorney E. C. Higbee of this city for the defendant said this afternoon that bail bond had been arranged for before the departure of Gilbertson for Madison, and that it would be signed tonight and forwarded to the state capital.

CRISIS IN MINERS' CONVENTION WED.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 17.—A crisis is expected in the miners' convention tomorrow when the scale committee reports. The two factions are headed by friends of Mitchell and those of Lewis, who becomes president April 1. The latter faction desired to postpone action until next month, when Lewis with a hurrah could sign up the operators, claiming credit before the public.

This is what the operators want. They are down on Mitchell because he repeatedly whipped them into line. The scale committee this morning received an answer from the Ohio operators and immediately launched a secret session to discuss the kind of report to make to the convention tomorrow.

ROBBERS CAPTURE POSSE.

NOWATA, Okla., March 17.—The three desperadoes who robbed the bank at Tyro, Kansas, led by Henry Starr, were intercepted on their flight to the Osage country by a posse of five men. The robbers ambushed the posse, and its members trailed back minus a horse and three rifles, "on parole."

AN ANTI-FOREIGN OUTBREAK RUMOR FROM HAYTI NOW

APPEARANCE OF WARSHIPS
CREATES FEELING

ENGLISH SHIP IS THERE

German Vessel Also Arrives and U.
S. and France Follow—28 Exe-
cutions Done

LONDON, March 17.—The British consul at Port au Prince has just cabled that an outbreak of an anti-foreign character has occurred, but he gives no particulars. The message is taken as verifying the apprehensions for Europeans which have been coming hourly in official and private messages.

PORT AU PRINCE, March 17.—The British cruiser Indefatigable arrived here late last night, the salutes she fired creating a panic till the reason was known. Government officials are dissatisfied with the ship's arrival at this time saying that foreigners are in no danger, and that such a demonstration may stir the anti-foreign feeling to a dangerous pitch.

However, the French minister in reporting to his government today insists that an attack on the foreign legations is imminent.

The German cruiser Bremen has also arrived. On the surface the situation is quiet, and no negotiations have begun between the cruisers and commanders and the Haytian authorities.

Twenty-seven Executions.

In all twenty-seven were executed by shooting here yesterday, thirteen in the cemetery and the balance in Salines and its vicinity.

M. A. Gallette's son was shot with his father.

President Alexis, in his proclamation on the subject of recent conspiracy, after stating that Gen. Fir-

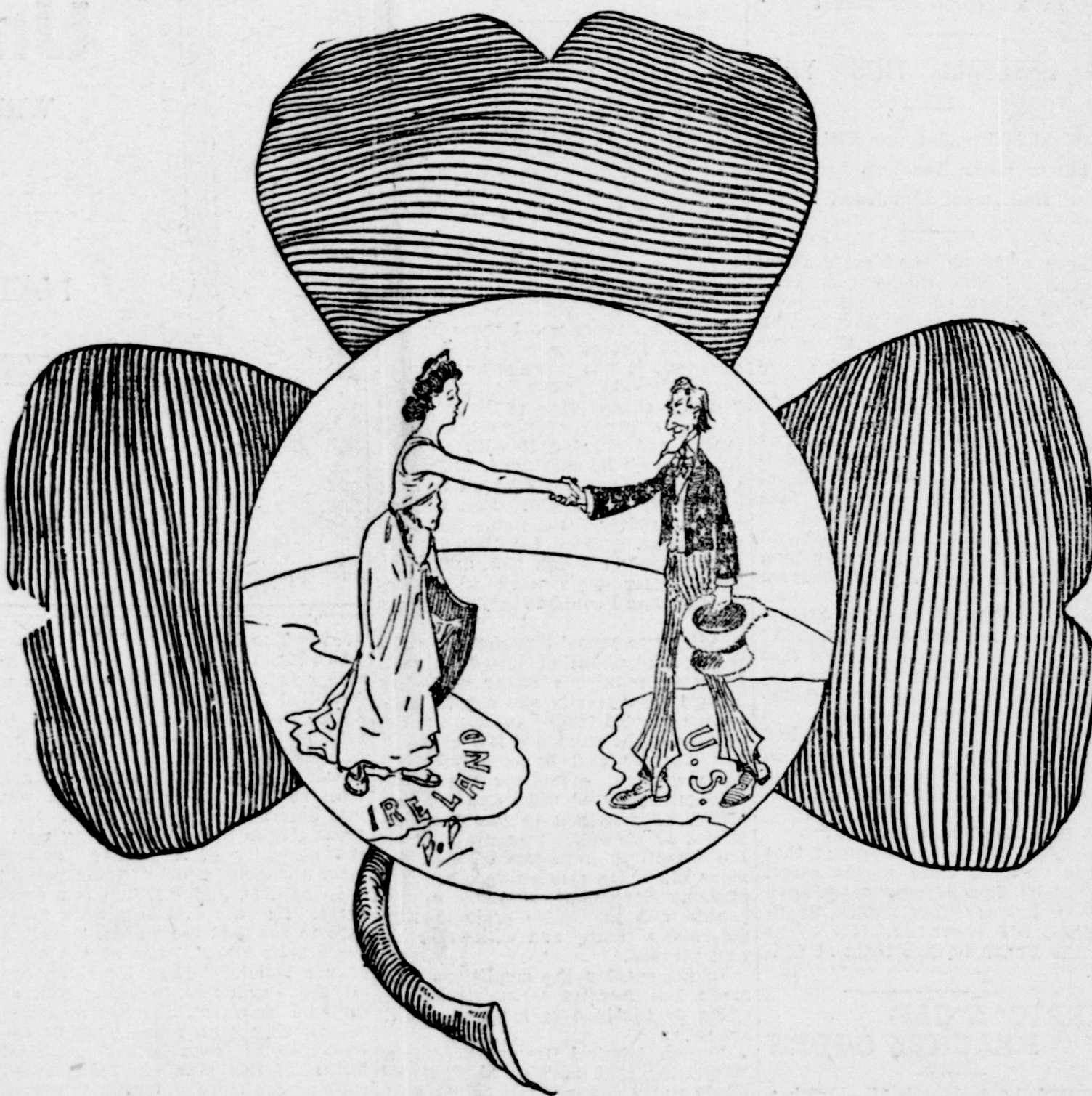
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DOG CATCHERS ARE AFTER BLUE BLOOD

CHICAGO, April 17.—The Chicago dog catchers are developing remarkable acute eyesight for blue-blooded animals of lofty lineage and high market value, and extraordinary blindness regarding mongrels of low degree. This, at any rate, is the deduction which has been made by a number of wealthy Chicagoans lately, as a result of the recent activities of the dog catchers. Watson F. Blair, 164 Rush street, is the latest victim of the good eyesight of the catchers when a valuable dog is concerned.

Mr. Blair's experiences have been made the subject of a vigorous personal complaint on his part to Chief of Police Shippy. Mr. Blair also has written to the chief and to Mayor Busse about the affair. His valuable dog was grabbed up near its own home.

MANY HAPPY RETURNS OF THE DAY



FOOD MAKERS HAVE FOOT ON DR. WILEY

STRONG ENFORCEMENT OF PURE
FOOD LAW CAUSE

LONG FIGHT ON EXPERT

Work of Manufacturers Places Him
in Thrall, and He May Have
to Resign

Washington Bureau of
The La Crosse Tribune.
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 17.
(By J. C. Welliver.)

A remarkable condition of things exists in the department of agriculture in connection with the enforcement of the pure food and drugs law. The board of food and drug inspection, consisting of Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, Dr. F. L. Dunlap and Solicitor George P. McCabe, has been made practically a nullity. This board is no longer writing pure food decisions, according to good authority. The decisions are written by a party outside the board and are then submitted for approval to the heads of the three departments concerned with the enforcement of the pure food law.

This means simply that the enemies of Dr. Wiley, the originator of the "poison squad," and the persistent and pertinacious foe of adulterations in foods and drugs have got him at least three points down. They have wrestled for years with him and until recently all the falls were credited to him. Recently, it has not been so. The manufacturers of food and drug products have carried their war on Dr. Wiley up to Secretary Wilson and thence to the president. They have apparently got Dr. Wiley's scalp.

May Resign.
Talk now is that Dr. Wiley's opponents have got him forced into an intolerable position and that it will not be at all surprising if he quits the department of agriculture.

Dr. Wiley is a chemist and he has believed in hewing to the line in carrying out the pure food law. He set out to do this when the law went into effect. Straightway the cry arose that the pure food law was being administered in a hard and fast way with consideration for chemical analyses alone and no consideration for the welfare of makers of foods and drugs. Kicks came from the whisky men, the molasses men, the dried fruit men and a host of manufacturers. Some weeks ago, the president so far yielded to the food and drug manufacturers as to draw on leading colleges for a board to constitute a sort of supreme court in controversies arising under the pure food and drugs law. This board is composed of men of standing in the chemical world who are also supposed to combine deep insight into chemistry with such ability to give tactful consideration to business conditions as will obviate the objections of manufacturers to the stringent en-

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"FIGHTING BOB" TO QUIT COMMAND

ASKS METCALF TO RELIEVE
HIM—HEALTH POOR

THOMAS IS TO SUCCEED HIM

Rear Admiral and His Chief Show
Satisfaction Over Long
Cruise

POINT LOMA, Cal., March 17.—(By Wireless from Magdalena Bay.)—Target practice here will conclude April 5, and five days later the fleet will sail northward. It is due to reach San Diego April 12. Record target practice by Admiral Evans' "big sixteen" was resumed today. It is learned that Secretary Metcalf is considering an application made by Senator Flint of California on behalf of the residents of the towns along the coast in the vicinity of Los Angeles to have the fleet divide into four squadrons when it reaches San Diego. Should this plan be adopted one squadron will visit Santa Monica, one at Venice, one at Redondo and the other at Long Beach.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—Secretary of the Navy Metcalf this afternoon announced that Admiral Ev-

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WEATHER FORECAST



Coldest, 30; warmest, 38; wind, 12 miles; precipitation, trace.

Extremes: Moorhead, 0; Abilene 92.

Forecasts today:
Wisconsin—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday, slightly cooler east portion tonight.

Minnesota—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday, warmer west portion tonight.

Iowa—Probably rain or snow to-night and Wednesday.

BAND MAY STILL COME TO LA CROSSE

KREUTZ FILES APPLICATION
WITH HOLWAY

MEETING NEXT THURSDAY

Colonel Leaves for Milwaukee To-
night—Dana Band Already an
Applicant

Col. Orlando Holway leaves today for regimental headquarters at Milwaukee, carrying with him the application of Kreutz's La Crosse band for the position of regimental band in the Third Wisconsin regiment. The application of the Dana band has already been filed, so there are two applicants from La Crosse.

Col. Holway said today that he had placed the matter in the hands of the officers of the regiment, who will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Hotel Pfister, in Milwaukee. Col. Holway leaves for there tonight. He says it is by no means settled that this band will not come to La Crosse again.

GOVERNOR STARTS JEROME INQUIRY

NEW YORK, March 17.—Gov. Hughes has appointed Charles Andrews, former chief judge of the Court of Appeals, as commissioner to take testimony and report his findings in connection with the charges recently preferred against District Attorney Jerome.

In making his designation Gov. Hughes explained that the evidence to be taken is to be limited "so far as the same relates to the conduct of the office of said district attorney and his performance of duty during his present term of office."

The governor let it be understood that he thus allows the constitutional intent. Matters relating to Mr. Jerome's first term of office will not have any bearing on the proposed inquiry unless some aspect of them is germane to the present term.

The governor said yesterday that he desired the charges thoroughly thrashed out in a way to command the confidence of the entire community, and the evidence to be taken treated in a judicial manner.

UNIONISTS THREATEN IF CONGRESS FAILS

WASHINGTON, March 17.—A conference will be held tomorrow of the executive officers or delegates of every international union to discuss ways and means of relief from adverse supreme court decisions.

The executive council has been in session two days preparing bills to be submitted later to the present congress. A member today stated if congress declined to act "then they would fight for a congress that would."

JAIL IS ANN ARBOR STUDENTS' REWARD FOR WILD RIOTING

WRECK THEATER, DEFEY POLICE,
ROUTE FIREMEN

THE MILITIA IS CALLED OUT

Women Trampled by 2,000 Students
—Ringleaders in Jail With No
Fine Alternative

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March 17.—With the entire police force picking at the edges of the crowd, but afraid to venture into the center, two thousand students of Michigan students last night wrecked a theater which had offended one of their number, and this morning the city council recommended to the police court that 23 ringleaders be punished by jail terms without the alternative of fines. The students will not be tried till they are identified positively with the affair, which is being done today. Meantime the boys will remain in jail.

When the crush occurred about the building a flank movement of the officers landed twenty-two of the youths in jail, but the rioting still continued, the boys threatening to tear down the jail unless their comrades were released.

An attempt to turn the fire hose on the mob failed when football tactics carried the fire department off its feet and the playful collegians ran off with the hose. They returned it when Fire Commissioner Millard ordered the companies back to their houses. He saw this was the only means of saving the apparatus.

When the boys turned their attention to the city's prison, Mayor Henderson called up Gov. Warner by long distance telephone, asking that militia be ordered out. Company I, Michigan National Guard, was held in its armory during the riot in readiness to march.

The fracas began at the Star theatre in Washington street, where a special policeman had attacked an obstreperous forestry student named Kamm Saturday night. In revenge the boys laid siege to the little playhouse last night, battered its facade to bits with rocks and bricks, and opened up a four hours' battle with the police.

In the height of the uproar President Angell and Deans Vaughan and Hutchins appeared on the scene. Hats came off respectfully to the venerable head of the university as he made his way into the thick of the fray. He stood in the vestibule of the ruined theatre and addressed the crowd, begging the students to disperse.

"Make them give up our fellows," was the only reply.

From time to time the crowd rushed the police down the street. In those pell mell attacks many women who were watching the affray were knocked down and trampled on. The mob followed the officers, and to get their captives to jail the police had to fight most of the way.

LA FOLLETTE IN POWERFUL PLEA FOR VALUATION OF R.R. PROPERTY

SUPPORTS HIS AMENDMENT TO
ALDRICH BILL

CHARGES PANIC WAS A COUP

ROCKEFELLER AND MORGAN
DID THE JOB

TO DISCREDIT RATE LAW

Railroad Tactics to Create Adverse
Public Opinion Are Shown
Up In Senate

WASHINGTON, March 17.—The senate finance committee today decided to kill from the Aldrich bill the provision making railroad bonds acceptable security for emergency circulation, and also to restore the provisions of the present law limiting the amount of national bank circulation required during any one month to nine millions. This action created something of a sensation in view of the fact that Senator La Follette had announced he would today begin his speech, which it was expected would occupy several days, on the valuation amendment and the bill generally. The committee's action takes away much of his ammunition, and it is regarded by many as a coup to escape the possibility of the valuation of railroads by government being slipped through as a rider on the Aldrich bill.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 17.—Supporting his amendment to the Aldrich bill providing that before railroad bonds may be made the foundation of currency issues of national banks, as provided in the bill, there must be a government valuation of the railroads to insure the stability of such bonds. Senator La Follette in one of the most powerful speeches heard in years, in the senate today charged that the "system" created the financial panic for its own profit, declared a law making railroad bonds security for bank circulation would enable the Standard Oil and Morgan interest in New York to control the country's financial system.

Attacking the Aldrich bill he declared that commercial banking is "eaten up by financial banking." He said the national banks use their interest in the so-called "trust companies" as a convenience covering many illegal actions.

Asserting that the Morgan and Standard Oil interests are practically one, he showed that fourteen directors in the City National bank

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Popular Pastor Weds Girl Prominent in Tomah Society



Rev. Etzelmueller and His Bride.

TOMAH, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—Rev. H. Etzelmueller, pastor of the Emanuel church of the Evangelical association of this city, and Miss Johanna W. Briesmiester of Tomah, Wis., were married at high noon today, at the home of the bride in Tomah. It was a quiet home wedding, the Rev. Detert, pastor of the church of the Evangelical church in Tomah officiating. The bride wore a handsome gown of beau de soie, with oriental hand trimmings and carried a shower bouquet of white roses and carnations. Her tulle veil was held in place with a wreath of myrtle. She was attended by Miss Inez Purdy and Miss Grace Randall, both of Tomah, who wore pretty light gowns and carried red carnations. The groom was attended by the Rev. J. I. C. Etzel-

mueller and Mr. O. Grutzmacher. An elaborate luncheon was served after the ceremony and Mr. and Mrs. Etzelmueller left immediately for La Crosse, where they will be at home to their many friends at 923, Division street.

There has been a jolly week in the congregation of Rev. Etzelmueller, the ladies having engaged with delighted enthusiasm in assisting the pastor in preparing his home for his bride, and when the pair arrived there was not lacking in the paragon any of these delicate touches bespeaking the kindly care of feminine hands. The men, not to be left out of so pleasant an occupation, lent a hand, and as a result "there's a cozy little corner" for the pair in La Crosse.

THE STORY OF ST. PATRICK'S DAY



St. Patrick's day, March 17, is celebrated by Irishmen wherever they may happen to be. There is no other great saint in the Catholic Hagiology about whom so much uncertainty exists. It is not even known whether or not March 17 is the date of his death or of his birth, though it is sometimes said to be both. The year and the place of his nativity are matters of dispute. Indeed, so many conflicting legends have been woven into his story that it is now generally assumed that there were two or more St. Patricks who have been rolled into one. Patricius, the Latin name, simply means a patrician, and may have been the sobriquet of any Christian apostle of aristocratic lineage. Nevertheless that there was some commanding personality towards whom all the myths naturally gravitated is evident. This was probably the author of two brief fifth century treatises—one entitled his "Confes-

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A Woman's Back

Has many aches and pains caused by weaknesses and falling, or other displacement, of the pelvic organs. Other symptoms of female weakness are frequent headache, dizziness, imaginary specks or dark spots floating before the eyes, gnawing sensation in stomach, dragging or bearing down in lower abdominal or pelvic region, disagreeable drains from pelvic organs, faint spells with general weakness. If any considerable number of the above symptoms are present there is no remedy that will give quicker relief or a more permanent cure than Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is the most potent invigorating tonic and strengthening medicine known to medical science. It is made of the glyceric extracts of native medicinal roots found in our forests and contains not a drop of alcohol or harmful, or habit-forming drugs. Its ingredients are all printed on the bottle wrapper and attested under oath as correct.

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You cannot afford to accept any medicine of unknown composition as a substitute for this well proven remedy of known composition, even though the dealer may make a little more profit thereby. Your interest in regaining health is paramount to any selfish interest of his and it is an insult to your intelligence for him to try to palm off upon you a substitute. You know what you want and it is his business to supply the article called for.

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and bladder affections which
caused me much pain and worry. I
lost flesh and was all run down,
and a year ago had to abandon work
entirely. I had three of the best physicians
who did me no good and I was
practically given up to die. Foley's
Kidney Cure was recommended and
the first bottle gave me great relief,
and after taking the second bottle I
was entirely cured." Why not let it help you? O. T. Erhart.

THE SPORT WORLD

MOLL REARRANGES
LEAGUE SCHEDULE

CONFIRMS REPORT LEAGUE
WILL PLAY IN MILWAUKEE

ANNOUNCE CHANGES SOON

Details of Plan for Badger to Play in
American Association City Will
Be Made Public This Week

President Charles F. Moll of the Wisconsin-Illinois league yesterday confirmed the report published in The Tribune on Saturday, that his organization is seeking to transfer a number of games to Milwaukee this summer, and he is confident that the arrangement will be effected.

"Application has been made for the use of Athletic park on certain days when the Milwaukee team is away, and I am in hopes that it will be granted," declared Mr. Moll yesterday. "I am now rearranging the league schedule with a view to transferring some of the games here and if the request is granted I shall announce the changes sometime this week. By playing some of our contests here it would break the road trip and help our league to a considerable extent. We do not propose to interfere with the American association games as it is our desire to use Athletic park only when the Brewers are on the road."

Enthusiasm at Oshkosh.

"Oshkosh fans anticipate that the interest in baseball the coming summer will be unusually intense and the indications are the Wisconsin-Illinois league will flourish," says the Oshkosh Northwestern. "The announcement of the official schedule has aroused this interest to its height and the fans are expressing satisfaction because games will be played on the home grounds on Memorial day and Labor day. May 30 is the date for the first game on the

HAS SHE
PROPOSED?

home grounds, according to the complete schedule which was published in Saturday's Northwestern. Efforts are being made to form a strong team to represent Oshkosh and practice begins next month.

"The team at the present time includes twenty-eight men all of whom have made a good record. Many of them have been selected by Mr. Danby, a scout for the major leagues, who has been in the east and who has secured for Manager Busber the best material he could obtain. Several new finds have been made lately. Joseph Gregon of Buffalo said to be the 'best ever' in coaching on the side lines, and who always gets the crowd, is a fielder secured by the team within the last week. Lester Ramsey of Hot Springs is another new man, who will fight it out with Harry L. June for first base. June also being a catcher and fielder. Charles Brink, a left handed batter who was in a class A league and made a record of 260 per cent, and Sidney Carr, a short stop and third baseman who played on the Oswego club and is said by Danby to be a fast one and hard hitter, have signed but their contracts have not been returned. Staub, an outfielder, who made a batting record of .426 and who is declared by Danby to be a rare find, is another accession."

GANS WILL MEET
ATTELL IN FRISCO

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—Joe Gans and Abe Attell, in the same ring. This long-talked about contest seems now an assured thing. Sam Berger announces that he has signed the two champions for a 20-round go to take place in Frisco on the night of March 31. The men agree to weigh in at 133 rindside, or 132 at 6:30.

Jimmy Cofforth attempted to make the match, but Berger beat him out of it.

COBB GETS OFFER
FROM UNION LEAGUE

WASHINGTON, March 17.—President Lawson of the Union League Baseball League was in conference with President Hart of the local Union League club and as a result Lawson stated that Hart has wired Trus Cobb of the American League an offer of the largest salary ever paid to a ball player to play with the Washington Union League club.

Lawson stated that President Schlieter of the Philadelphia Union League an offer of \$15,000 to play with the Philadelphia Union League club this season.

LA CROSSE MAY GET
EAU CLAIRE PLAYERS

ELLIOTT PUTS IN APPLICATION
FOR THREE OF THEM

NO BASEBALL THIS YEAR

President Wilcox Informs Elliott the
Plan to Enter Northern League
Has Been Abandoned

There will be no professional baseball in Eau Claire this year. President Elliott of the local association has received from Roy P. Wilcox, president of the Eau Claire organization word to the effect that the plan to enter the Northern league has been permanently abandoned, because there was a sixth city needed to complete the league, and he had no time to secure the additional member. There is considerable disappointment among the fans of Eau Claire over the situation.

Crack Pitcher Already Sold
Pitcher Fouscher has already been sold to Sioux City in the Western League.

President Elliott would not state which three men had been "marked" by the La Crosse club, but said that he had made offers for three of them, but as yet did not know whether his offers would be accepted.

President Wilcox says that he had offered his players to all the clubs in the Wisconsin-Illinois league and also to Fargo of the Northern league.

Bob For Logan Square?
President Elliott announces that he has received word to the effect that "Bob" Lynch, now coaching a college team at Charleston, South Carolina, will shortly this year with the Logan Square team at Chicago.

AMERICAN CAR
REACHES OGDEN

OGDEN, Utah, March 17.—With a crew exhausted by an all day struggle through heavy mud the American car in the New York to Paris race reached here Sunday morning at 9:45 and will depart tomorrow morning. Machinists have been working over it all day to make repairs. Lynn Mathewson leaves the car here and Brinker will take it through Nevada.

Word was received from Rawlins Wyo., that the Italian car reached there at 3:15 in the afternoon, but that it will not start until tomorrow morning. The second French car is at Omaha, where it will wait until tomorrow before starting. French car No. 1 is at Crescent, but the parts broken were replaced today and the auto will proceed tomorrow. The German car is undergoing repairs at Ames.

TOMMY BURNS
REACHES DUBLIN

DUBLIN, Ireland, March 17.—Tommy Burns has arrived for his bout with James Roche, and is in good shape except for his eye, which is still badly inflamed. He will be an overwhelming favorite in the betting. The ring has been erected on the stage of the Theatre Royal. One speculator, who took a row of ring-side seats, has sold them all for \$25 each (\$125 in American money).

BREAKS RECORD
BUT FALLS

DULUTH, March 17.—The last ski tournament for professionals to be held in Duluth took place Sunday afternoon in the presence of 4,000 spectators. Ole Fiering of Duluth jumped 124 feet, but the feat was spoiled by falling.

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TELLS HOW CHANGE
SAVED HIS LIFE

JUDGE DILLON OF LOS ANGELES
GIVES OUT INTERVIEW

BROTHER OF LA CROSSE MAN

Former Wisconsin Man Is Now a
Prominent Jurist of California
and Says Climate Saved Him

Judge H. C. Dillon, Los Angeles, Cal., brother of D. C. Dillon, 1221 Pine street this city, attributes his health and success to the fact that he went to California when he did. He was born in Grant county and is in reality a Wisconsin man. He went to California expecting to die, but is now one of the leading jurists of that state.

The Los Angeles Evening News publishes the following interview with Judge Dillon on how he came to settle there:

"Twenty years ago I came here to die, but finding myself already in paradise, it was not necessary to go farther," said Judge H. C. Dillon. "On the sunny slope of Signal hill I bought a ranch of sage brush and cactus and planted it with choicest fruit trees," he continued. "By digging in the ground, I hoped to keep out of it, and I did. The remedy was expensive, but the cure has been permanent. Then I weighed 145 pounds, now I weigh 190, and I can do a better day's work with less fatigue than I could twenty-five years ago."

After two years' experience on the ranch, Judge Dillon found it was going to require a silver mine to bring it to maturity and a gold mine to run it. To insure success in the enterprise, he opened a law office in Los Angeles and by combining all his resources, the silver mine, the gold mine, a coal mine and the law office, he managed to pay the expenses of his effort to grow fruit on the unwilling hard-pan of that famous old sheep ranch where the city of Long Beach now stands. He recounts with justifiable pride that he did raise a family and with it he is well pleased.

In his opinion the conditions that make Los Angeles what it is are going to continue to make it grow. He says:

"When Admiral Dewey sailed into Manila bay that morning in May, the whole world changed front with that event. Down to that time, the Atlantic seaports were the front doors of this republic, but from that time on the Pacific seaports have become the front doors from Panama to the Straits of Juan de Fuca, on Puget Sound, the ports of the Pacific have become the front doors of this republic. They are bound to control the commerce of the Pacific. We are looking to China, Japan and to Asia with their millions of population as markets for our food and manufactured goods. That fact, together with our incomparable climate, which is without doubt the finest in the world, solves the future of Los Angeles."

"I devoted the greater part of 1906 traveling in Europe, and made it my study to note the harbors and the commerce of foreign ports. I discovered this to be a fact that the artificial harbors are the best harbors in the world, and are doing the business of today. And that is why the harbors of Los Angeles, San Diego, San Pedro, Santa Monica, Redondo—you may say that they are all harbors of Los Angeles—will do the business of the future. There is no other city on the Pacific coast that can make such a showing, and those are the things that are going to make a great city of Los Angeles."

Judge Dillon was born in Lancaster, Grant county, Wisconsin, in 1846, graduated from Racine college in 1872, was admitted to the bar by the supreme court of Wisconsin in 1874, and practiced his profession in Leadville and Denver, Colorado, until he came to California in 1888. He thinks that the best thing he has done was his work as district attorney from 1892 to 1895. The term then was only two years, but it covered the panic of '93 when every bank in the city except the Farmers & Merchants' bank came insolvent. The county money was stacked up and saved as a "special deposit."

"At that time," said Judge Dillon, "the Coxey army was here threatening to take railroad trains and ride to Washington. That scheme was frustrated. The infamous 'tramp industry,' worked by a syndicate of constables and justices of the peace, was quashed. That notorious old slurrer, the Southern Pacific company, was made to pay its back taxes, as well as many other corporations. Large sums of money were collected on the bonds of old defaulters, county officers like L. Hammond and others, democratic and republican delinquents were punished alike. Besides this there was the usual grist of civil and criminal business. The latter usually makes up the spectacular part of a district attorney's career, fills the columns of the newspapers and makes or mars his reputation as an officer."

"In my own case, I have no complaint to make of anything or anybody. From long experience, I have learned to be thankful to my enemies as well as to my friends. They have both helped to keep me out of mischief. To my mind, however, the most important work accomplished during my administration was the introduction of the system of book-keeping then adopted by the county auditor for the first time. When the county auditor, 'Windy Smith,' was brought before the grand jury, and asked to produce the county books of account, it was found that there were none. When asked to produce a certain yellow leaved blotter, he refused on the ground that it was his own private memorandum

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Messrs. Gullickson (chairman), Lewis and Bradley, supervisors of the town of Mindoro are in the city to prepare for the advertisement of bids for work on the road and were in consultation with the city engineer. "The work which has been done comprised the cutting through the summit of the hill and making it less steep. The remainder of the macadamizing now remains to be done and comprises the greater distance of the road."

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When church is out, the small restless boys are always the first to shoot out of the door. Then follow the men, and three hours after, when they have completed their incessant talking, the women emerge.

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2-Sunday		16-Sunday	
3-Mon	6,320	17-Mon	6,300
4-Tues	6,370	18-Tues	6,300
5-Wed	6,320	19-Wed	6,300
6-Thurs	6,320	20-Thurs	6,320
7-Fri	6,320	21-Fri	6,310
8-Sat	6,310	22-Sat	6,300
9-Sunday		23-Sunday	
10-Mon	6,320	24-Mon	6,310
11-Tues	6,325	25-Tues	6,300
12-Wed	6,300	26-Wed	6,300
13-Thurs	6,300	27-Thurs	6,310
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THE MILITARY BAND.

The announcement that La Crosse is almost certain to lose the Third Regiment band is bad news. Both Viroqua and Sparta have good bands, and that in case La Crosse cannot hold the institution it must go to one of them is highly satisfactory. But we cannot conceive that there is any good reason why La Crosse should not retain the band.

One of the chief reasons assigned for this city's inability to hold the band is that there is a quarrel between two local organizations, and that unless they unite there are not musicians enough here to compose the band.

Can it be that La Crosse cannot get together in a single organization as many musicians as can either Sparta or Viroqua? Does it not invite further silly ideas in the minds of our musicians that they, or any of them, can dictate to La Crosse in matters of importance to this community?

The fact is that the whole trouble is the musicians quarrel that is Director Dana's final bequest to La Crosse. The rather indifferent orchestra the remnants of which he left here, it is said, were encouraged to "stick" against his old competitor, Kreutz. There are a number of men who have individual talent, but that they are so strong as an organization as to be a vital necessity to any other band is absurd.

For a number of years there has been a fight between the Dana and Kreutz organizations. When finally Dana went the way he paid the talented Moritz Langstadt to go, it was thought there might be an end of it. In conceding that the decline of the Dana musicians to join with Kreutz is fatal to the organization of a military band here, the officers of the regiment may be encouraging a species of filibustering that is detrimental to the city, and that we believe is not justified by circumstances. Let the regimental authorities name the major musical organization the regimental band, and deprived as they are of their subsidized leader, the individuals of the refractory organization will come over to the side their bread is buttered on. If they do not do this within a reasonable time, the places reserved for them in the regimental band will be filled with talented musicians—men as capable in every way as are they. A little discipline, "cold turkey," seems all that is needed to clear up a situation that has long enough been a source of embarrassment to this city.

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THE REVISION MIRAGE.

Quite pertinent to the situation in the present campaign is the following inquiry from the Free Press:

"Yes, but why is it that the stand-patters in the party are anxious to leave the tariff alone until after election? Because a vast majority of the people want an immediate revision? Go to. For if they did those standpatt 'leaders' like the Hon. Seno E. Payne and the Hon. John Dalzell, the two men who are said to know more about tariff schedules than any other two in the United States, would not want to ask to stop a day before making all that changes that might be wanted."

"But the fact is, as this particular argument shows, that for some reason, whatever it is, these politicians—for they are only politicians—do not understand that a majority of the voters of the United States are in favor of lower tariffs on anything; they do not believe that there is any popular demand for a revision of present rates of duty, which is to say, of protection."

"So it is a question of judgment. Uncle Joe Cannon will probably never be accused of being a statesman at the expense of his political interests, and he was not afraid to tell the American manufacturers that we can not afford to disturb the tariff until after the election; politics before business, every time."

"But why is it good politics to wait? Because all the people want action now?"

It would be altogether more satisfactory were the republican congress to show its hand, one way or another, on the tariff now. That would give the public a chance to vote advisedly in the coming election. If we accept the theory that Taft is the exponent of republicanism, supported by a do-nothing-with-the-tariff republican congress, his positive but too general declaration for tariff reform may, to his injury and unjustly, be taken with a grain of salt by voters who are tired of that revision mirage which the G. O. P. has so frequently caused to opportunistically appear and disappear on the far horizon. Senator La Follette is the only republican candidate who has specifically stated what he would do with the tariff. "Revise it DOWN, not UP," he says, "to the difference between cost of raw material and labor in this country and in foreign countries."

QUIPS AND CRANKS
AND WANTON WILES

The Garage
(A Philological Idyl.)
There is a stable where I keep
My horses and my carriage;
Adjoining, on each side's a place
My coachman calls a "garriage."

He does not like the gasoline,
He says it spoils the carriages,
"The blimed smell is a nuisance, and
Hit comes from them 'cre garriages."

When my man and the chauffeurs
meet,
Each flies into a dreadful rage;
One of them says, "Tain't from my
place—"

The smell don't come from my gar-
rage—

I don't use nothin' but the best,
And will not while I draw me
wages;

I have the cleanest place in town—
Look at them other big gar-
rages."

And then the other man butts in—
(He of the second place has
charge)

He is a Frenchman, and he says,
"Don't talk to me of your gar-
rarge;

I use ze finest gasoline—
Look at my bills an' see ze
charges—

Ze smell comes from ze ozzer place;
Mine is ze best of all garriages."

L'ENVOI
I wonder how 't would be if I
Should get a car and sell my car-
riage,

And whether I should keep it in
A "garriage," "garriage," or a
garriage."

J. F. Goodridge in Harper's Week-
ly.

When They Become Resigned
A young lady living in Atlanta vis-
ited the home of her fiancé in New

Orleans. On her return home an old
negro "mammy," long in the service
of the family and consequently priv-
ileged to put the question, asked:

"Honey, when is you goin' to git
married?"

The engagement not having been
announced, the Atlanta girl smilingly
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Yerner—Yes, I told her my heart
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Ascum—She didn't believe you?
Yerner—No; she reached over and
felt my pulse.—Philadelphia Press.

JUST LIFE



The Irish are so proud that even
the Dutch bedeck themselves in
green today.

Lots of people who have their eyes
shut are not asleep.

One may respect a highwayman,
but not a sneak.

And now our Beautiful City, it is
authoritatively reported, is to be given
an opportunity to whistle while
the Third Regiment band is handed
to some village.

When a man turns on a benefactor
he becomes known as an ingrate.

La Follette is threatened with the
Independence League and Populistic
nominations for president.

There are lots of men who can't
swim who never get beneath the sur-
face.

Money isn't everything, but it's a
wonderful foundation.

A rose often grows among thistles.

It is to be supposed this is a
charmed day at the Keeley institute.

Anyway there are lots of Patricks
who are not saints.

Pretty near time to soap the con-
nections and clean the float feed
mechanism.

The "happy days" have been con-
tracted to three nights a week.

—W. V. K.

HULBERG FOR THE
FARMER'S SCHOOL

Editor Tribune:

I notice I was quoted in your paper
the other evening as saying that the
committee on the county agriculture
school "had decided" to report favor-
ably on the proposition. Your report
evidently misunderstood me. I told
the person who phoned me that the
committee "probably" would report
favorably on it.

On my part, I am heartily in favor
of the establishment of such a school
in La Crosse county and am fully
satisfied that the school would pay
better to the taxpayers of the county
than any investment the county
board ever entered into. In that
the increased value of farm products
after the teachings of the school had
taken effect, would be a great many
times the cost of the school and add
materially to the wealth of the county.

I would like to mention one sci-
entific farmer in our county, Mr. Harry
Griswold, town of Hamilton. He was
taught dairy farming at the agricul-
tural department of the university
of Wisconsin and has since taken
charge of his father's farm. Last
year the Griswold herd produced
\$120 a head (average). I wonder if
any other farmer in the county can
show as good a record?

Another example of a school farmer
is Mr. Ole Hougen, also of the town
of Hamilton. Mr. Hougen has only
been in this country a couple of
years, coming from Norway, and, of
course, was entirely unfamiliar with
our climate and soil conditions as
far as practical experience was con-
cerned. However, he had graduated
from one of the numerous agricul-
tural schools in Norway. Last year,
a poor year for farmers, he produced
more from the farm he rented, than
the former owner ever produced
from that piece of land.

Prof. Babcock's milk test has saved
millions of dollars for the American
farmer. Prof. Moore's corn
would increase the corn pro-
duction from the same acreage in the
state of Wisconsin twenty million
bushels of shelled corn; the preven-
tion of rust in oats and barley; these
are a few of the things accomplished
at our state university in the agricul-
tural department.

It seems to me scientific agricul-
ture is a paying proposition.

OSCAR H. HULBERG.

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SPOTLIGHTS

AT THE BLUO.
A program of excellence will be
enjoyed by Bijou patrons this week,
nearly all the turns being of great
merit. Willis and Barron in their
eccentric comedy sketch "The Insur-
ance Agent" give a turn that has
some good points, but which in the
main is rather tedious. Mr. Willis
has a good voice, which would be
immensely enjoyed if he make up
was a little more pleasing.

George Lavender in a "Talka-
logue" keeps up the interest every
moment he is on the stage. His
jokes are good and he lets the au-
dience do most of the laughing, for
which we are truly thankful.

The Pederson brothers, presenting
their "European Comedy Link Act,"
do some difficult stunts which are
fully appreciated by the audience.
Their work is among the best that
has been seen at the Bijou.

Miss Gloria Dare, the "Rocky
Mountain Girl and Singing Comedie-
ienne," is a refined, artistic young
woman who has a charming stage
appearance and who does each part
of her versatile turn well. It is in-
deed a pleasure to hear a well modu-
lated, low voice, that can easily be
heard in all parts of the theatre.
Miss Dare's reading of the western
piece was very dramatic, and her
singing of "Because I'm Married"
was delightful.

Milton Kerr is making a hit sing-
ing "Love Me, and the World is
Mine."

The moving pictures are both edu-
cational and comical, the first one,
"Artistic Wood Carving," being es-
pecially good.

The performance was enhanced
last evening by the presence of
Kreutz's orchestra which played for
both performances.

—B. K.

AT THE LYRIC.

The Lyric theatre is affording its
patrons an excellent moving picture
show, which is attracting large au-
diences nightly. The feature picture
this week is "The Count of Monte
Cristo," which is shown in the form
of a six act drama with the curtain
between each act. The whole of the
book is followed out, from the gay
wedding scene, where Edmond Dantes
is taken away from Mercedes and
cast into prison, to the last chapter,
where "The Count" has complete
vengeance upon his enemies. This
splendid picture is supplemented by
numerous others, all good and in-
cluding a wide variety of subjects,
which run for over an hour, making
a most interesting show.

—B. K.

FASHION HINTS

By MAY MANTON



5939 Girl's Guimpe Dress, 8 to 14 years.

Girls' dresses that give the prin-
cesse effect in one way or another
are among the latest that have ap-
peared and are exceedingly charming
in effect. This one shows a full length
panel at the front and can be worn
over any guimpe while the frock it-
self is adapted to almost every sea-
sonable material. In the illustration
it is made of rough finished pongee
in one of the pretty new blue shades
and is trimmed with black banding,
but if a simpler frock is needed it
will be found appropriate for mohair
or for serge or for any similar ma-
terial, while for the summer ward-
robe it will be charming made up
in linen or any material of similar
weight. Again it also makes a sat-
isfactory model for the inexpensive
printed wash fabrics that are very
beautiful in color and design and
many of which make exceedingly at-
tractive dresses for every day wear.

The frock is made with a panel,
the blouse portions and sleeves and
the circular side and back portions
of the skirt. There are tucks over
the shoulders and the trimming is
arranged over them. The lower edge
of the blouse is gathered and joined
to a belt and the skirt is laid in
inverted plaits at the back.

The quantity of material required
for the medium size (12 years) is
5½ yards 24, 4¾ yards 32, or 3¾
yards 44 inches wide, 10 yards of
banding.

The pattern 5939 is cut in sizes
for girls of 8, 10, 12 and 14 years of
age and will be mailed to any ad-
dress by the Fashion Department of
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stamp for letter postage, which in-
sures more prompt delivery.)

THE PAUPER
OF PARK
LANEBy
William
Le
Queux

"Granted. But you know what
you've told me about the queer stor-
ies afloat regarding Samuel Statham
and his house in Park Lane."

"I've never believed them, al-
though they are, of course, curious.
Yet you must remember that every
man of great wealth has mysterious
stories put about by his enemies. Ev-
ery woman has enemies. Who has
not?"

"But you've admitted yourself
that you've never been in more than
one room in the mansion," she said,
looking him straight in the face.

"That's true. But it doesn't prove
anything, does it?" he asked. And
Marion saw that he was nervous and
agitated, quite unlike his usual self.
Perhaps, however, it was on account
of her apprehensions, she thought.

She had only seen Samuel Statham,
the well-known millionaire, on one
occasion. She had called at the of-
fices in Old Broad street one after-
noon to see her brother, who was
his confidential secretary, when the
old fellow had entered, a short,
round-shouldered, grey-bearded old
man, rather shabbily dressed, who,
looking at her, bluntly asked who
she was and what she wanted there.

One of his eccentricities was that
he hated women, and Marion knew
that.

In a faltering tone she replied that
she was sister of his secretary, where-
upon his manner instantly
changed. He became the acme of
politeness, asked her into his private
room, offered her a glass of port—
which, of course, she refused—and
chatted to her most affably till her
brother's return.

Why she had taken such a violent
dislike to the old man she herself
could not tell. Possibly it was the
change of manner, and that his
pleasant suavity was feigned. And
this, combined with the extraordi-
nary rumours regarding his past, and
the mystery of his great mansion in
Park Lane, had caused her to view
him with bitter prejudice.

Several customers were waiting to
be served, and Marion saw Mr. War-
ner's eye upon her.

"Well, Charlie," she said, "per-
haps I'll get down to Charing Cross
to see you off. You go to Paris first,
I suppose?"

"Yes. I take the Orient Express
from there, by way of Vienna and
Budapest to Belgrade. But," he ad-
ded, "don't come and see me off,
there's a good girl."

"Why? I've been before, when
you've gone to the Continent."

"Yes, I know," he answered im-
patiently; "but—well, it makes me
feel as if I shan't come back. Don't
come, will you?"

Marion smiled. His anxiety that
she should not come struck her as
distinctly curious.

He was not himself. Of that she
was convinced. To her, ever since
her father's death, he had been a
good friend, and for a year prior to
her engagement at Cunningham's he
had divided his salary with her. No
girl ever had a better brother than
he had been, yet of late she had no-
ticed a complete change in his man-
ner. He was no longer frank with
her, as he used to be, he seemed often
to hide from her facts which, with
her woman's keen intelligence, she
afterwards discovered.

"Miss Rolfe!" exclaimed Mr. War-
ner, emerging from his office. "Dis-
engaged?" And he pointed to a pair
of somewhat obese ladies who were
examining a costume displayed on a
stand.

"Well, good-bye, Charlie," she
said, shaking his hand. "I must go.
We're very busy this afternoon. Per-
haps I shall see you at Charing
Cross. If not—then take care of
yourself, dear. Good-bye."

And she turned and left him to
attend to the two ladies while he,
with a nod to Mr. Warner, strode
out of the shop.

"I hope to goodness Marion doesn't
come," he muttered to himself.
"Women are so infernally inquisi-
tive. And if she does go to Charing
Cross she's sure to suspect some-
thing!"

CHAPTER II.

Concerns a Silent Secret.
That same afternoon, while Char-
lie Rolfe was bidding farewell to his
sister, Max Barclay was sitting in
the cosy study of one of the smaller
houses in Cromwell Road, smoking
cigarettes with a thin-faced, grey-
haired, grey-bearded man whose cast
of features at once betrayed him to
be a foreigner.

The well-furnished room was the
typical den of a studious man, as its
owner really was, for about it was an
air of solid comfort, while upon the
floor near where the elder man was
lying back in his leather easy chair
were scattered some newspapers
with headings in unfamiliar type—the
Greek alphabet.

The air was thick with cigarette
smoke, giving forth an aroma un-
usual to English nostrils—that
pleasant aroma peculiar to Servian
tobacco.

The younger man, dressed in well-
fitting, dark grey flannels, his long
legs sprawled out as he lay back in
his chair taking his ease and gossip-
ing with his friend, was, without
doubt, a handsome fellow. Tall be-
yond the average run of men, with
lithe, clean-cut limbs, smart and
well-groomed, with closely-cropped
dark hair, a pair of merry dark eyes,
and a small dark mustache which
had an upward trend, his air was
distinctly military. Indeed, until a
few months before he had held a
commission in a cavalry regiment,
but had resigned on account of the
death of his father and his conse-
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But no possessor of a fine
old English home and a seventeenth-
century castle in Scotland, Max Bar-
clay

Have you seen our new mill?
It's a beauty!
We have met all those who seek
recognition in our line and the
verdict of the referee—the im-
partial critical public—is that
MARVEL stands supreme among
Spring Wheat Patents.

clay preferred to divide his time be-
tween his chambers in Dover street
and wandering about the continent.
There was time enough to "settle
down," he always declared. Besides,
both the houses were too big and too
gloomy to suit his rather simple
bachelor tastes. His Aunt Emily, an
old lady of seventy, still continued to
live at Water Newton Hall, not far
from that quaint, old world and
many-spired town, Stamford; but
Kilmarock Castle was unoccupied
save for six weeks or so when he
went up with friends for the shoot-
ing season.

Agents were frequently making
tempting offers to him to let the
place to certain wealthy Americans

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HIGH SCHOOL BOYS "HAZE" CONDUCTOR

CAREFULLY FOLD UP THEIR
TRANSFERS YESTERDAY

CONDUCTOR BOLTS CAR DOOR

And When Police Station is Reached
the Young Fellows are Taken into
Converse With Officer Yehle

About fifty young men, the majority from the La Crosse high school, last evening decided to initiate Conductor Warner, who was in charge of their car.

So each one carefully folded his transfer.

Conductor Warner, however, noticed that the transfers were folded throughout the car and after he had taken a few of them he stepped to the rear platform and bolted the door, allowing only the other passengers to get off until the No. 2 police station was reached when two of the young men were taken into the station, and Assistant Superintendent Harrier called.

Mr. Harrier arrived on the next northbound car and hastened to the station where Officer Alois Yehle was having a session with the boys who were given a severe reprimand and released.

One of the young men said that they folded the transfers but that as the conductor reached them they unfolded them. It is understood that the opening only assisted in delaying the conductor in the collection of his fares and that it was this to which the conductor objected.

20TH ANNIVERSARY OF CORNERSTONE

Sunday morning at 10 o'clock the twentieth anniversary of the laying of the cornerstone will be celebrated at the Emanuel German Lutheran church. Rev. S. Stroemer of Marinette will conduct the ceremonies in the morning.

In the afternoon the laying of the cornerstone of the new church will be celebrated, and the Rev. R. Siegler of Barre Mills will speak at this time. Rev. R. Siegler will conduct the services in German. Rev. T. J. Gamm, Rev. E. O. Vi and Rev. H. G. Magglessen will assist at the services in the afternoon and will speak in English.

A gossamer covering of beauty and fairness bestowed by satin skin powder. 25c.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY SKETCH TONIGHT

A sketch will be given by the young men and ladies and the children of the St. James congregation this evening in the Woodman hall on Rose street in honor of St. Patrick's day. Miss Mary Malay who has not sung before in public will render "Peggy Shea." Other members of the congregation will sing solos and there will also be a piano solo by Miss Violette Wiskerscher besides several other instrumental solos, recitations, pretty drills and humorous dialogues. Herman Singer will sing "Mavourneen" and "Star of My Life."

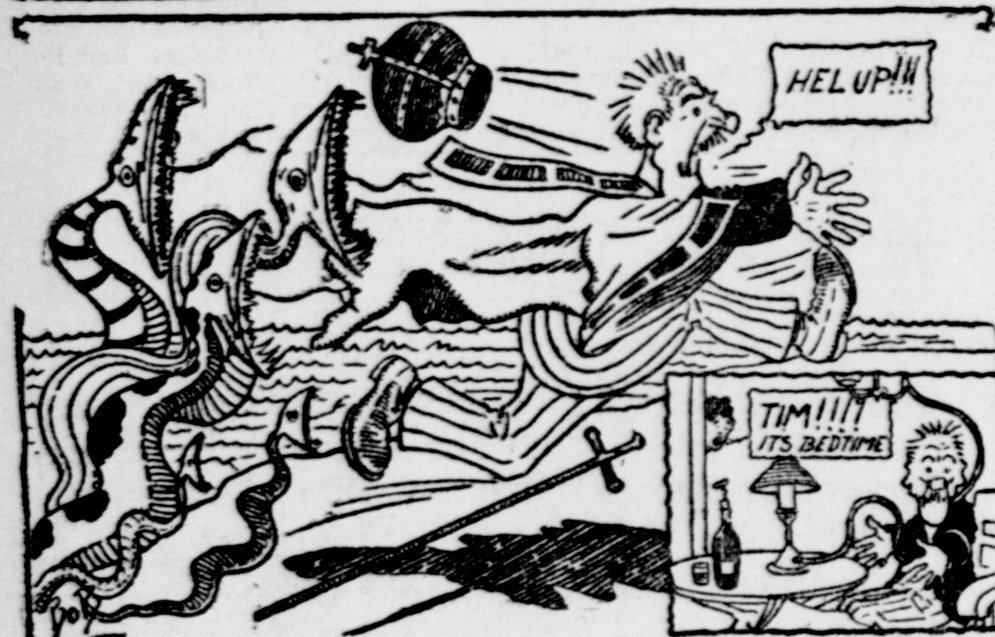
SANDERS GAINING VERY RAPIDLY

The condition of Rev. L. L. Sanders is greatly improved today and he is gaining strength rapidly. Today for the first time he has been able to leave his bed and was allowed to sit up for a short time this morning.

HAVE POSTPONED SUPPER.

Owing to the illness of Rev. L. L. Sanders, the supper that was to be given by the ladies of the Tabernacle Baptist church this evening, has been indefinitely postponed.

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WITH TESTING TUBE

ONE KNEW THE INSPECTOR

And Pointed Out a Can to Be Inspected but the Sample Was
Taken From Another—Fined

Judge Brindley in a friendly suggestion recommends that the local milkmen should not rely upon their acquaintance with the local milk inspector, to escape the penalty of selling impure and watered milk.

The fact that this will not solve the problem was proven by the case of John Hoff who yesterday was "a sadder but a wiser man" after he had paid his \$25 and costs, amounting to \$29.

Mr. Hoff knows P. A. Larson, the local milk inspector, and upon being accosted in his wagon the other day he said: "I suppose you want your sample of milk; well, here is mine."

"Well, which can do you want me to take it from?" said Inspector Larson.

"Take it from this one," said Hoff pointing to a can which contained excellent milk.

"No, I'll take it from this one," said Mr. Larson, and the milk proved to be watered and Hoff was fined.

Judge Brindley says that there are others still to be brought in. He says that Inspector Larson has a sample from nearly every milk-seller in the city.

GATLING GUN TO REPEL RIDERS

MAYSVILLE, Ky., March 17.—The American Tobacco company placed a gatling gun on the roof of the warehouse here to prevent night riders burning the building. Men will be constantly on guard and work the gun.

Fail to Burn One Barn
LEXINGTON, Ky., March 17.—Night riders made an attempt early to burn the tobacco barn of Judge Lewis Apperson at Sideview, Montgomery county. A blaze was started in two places, but the fire was discovered and extinguished. Apperson is a member of the Law and Order league. He declares he will raise tobacco despite the attempt to burn him out. He is not a member of the pool.

THOMPSON FUNERAL WILL BE THURSDAY

Ernest Thompson, who died at his home 1349 Avon street Monday, will be buried Thursday afternoon, interment being made in the Oak Grove cemetery.

The funeral services, which are to be conducted by the Rev. E. O. Vik, will be held from the residence on Avon street at 2 o'clock and from the Charles street Lutheran church at 2:30.

A. & O. Sletten have charge of the arrangements.

JOHN SCHALLER BURIED TODAY

The funeral of John Schaller, who passed away Saturday at his home in his home in the town of Campbell, was held at 2:30 this afternoon from the Onalaska German Lutheran church, Rev. G. M. Thuroff officiated at the services.

If Babies Mean Cigars.

Howell—Well, Rowell is a happy father.

Powell—Yes, and he gave me a cigar in honor of the event, and I tell you, old man, I'm from this time on a believer in race suicide.—Brooklyn Life.

The Motor-Bus Lullaby.

Rock-a-by, baby, in the house-top.

When the bus comes the cradle will rock.

When the bus passes the house-top will fall.

Down will come baby, cradle and all.

One Hope.

Bishop (kindly)—And all these lovely young ladies whom I have just met in the guild room have some common bond?

Curate (modestly)—Yes. They all hope to marry me.—Judge.

Street in Dublin Where the St. Patrick's Day Parade is Held



NORTH SIDE BRIEFS.

Mrs. S. Holm has returned home after a visit with relatives and friends in Coon Valley to her home on Caledonia street.

Rev. A. Murphy left at noon yesterday for a few days' visit, during which he will deliver a St. Patrick's day address.

The St. Patrick's day program by the Ladies' St. Margaret's club of the St. James church will be held in the Rose street Woodman hall this evening.

Messrs. Edward Halsey, Athol Casberg and George Brown, car clerks at Grand Crossing, attended the meeting of the Car Clerks' union yesterday at Winona. The organization of the car clerks was perfected about a year ago and they now have a big membership.

Homer Van Berg, formerly of No. 4 fire station, has been transferred to station No. 2 on the North Side to fill the position as driver made vacant by the resignation of Tim Mahoney.

Mrs. Emma Tidlin and son, Warren, have returned from Milwaukee where they have been visiting.

Mrs. E. A. Sloane has returned from Milwaukee where she attended the convention of the Royal Neighbors.

Ed. Cordell is in Modine, Minn., on business.

Erwin Church of Avon street has left for Dakota. Mr. Church will make his home there.

Harry McCabe, who is employed in the yard office of the "Q" at Grand Crossing, left today on a business trip to Calvert.

The 18-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Grady, 1713 Berlin street, is ill with the measles.

Mrs. W. J. Stafford has left for Galesville. She will meet her mother there and after a short visit will return with her mother to this city.

Mr. L. Gorman of Springfield, Wis., is a guest at the home of S. C. Jones of Loomis street.

J. Harihan of Mable, Minn., was a guest at the home of Mrs. D. Jensen, 2142 Kane street.

Rev. Ambrose Murphy has gone to Wausau and will spend a few days visiting. Rev. Father Lynch will have charge of his parish during his absence.

ENTERTAINS L. C. P. TOMORROW

The L. C. P. club will be entertained tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. G. Limpert, 1408 Kane street.

THE STORY OF ST. PATRICK'S DAY

(Continued from Page One).

time when Bishop Patrick began his ministrations in Ireland, but as to his immediate success there is abundant testimony offered by the old

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legends and more modern historians. He was a statesman as well as a priest, and addressed himself first of all to the chiefs, and through them reached the people. He understood, as did most of the early Christian missionaries, how to adapt the superstitions and the pagan rites which he found existing to the teachings of the church, and one of his first doings was to light a Paschal fire on the Hill of Slane in opposition to a Druidical fire on the Hill of Tara, and the light from Slane eclipsed the light on Tara forever. His work in Ireland may be summed up by saying that he founded 365 churches and planted a school by the side of each; that he has organized at least one archiepiscopal see, that of Armagh; consecrated two or more bishops, established one or two colleges and civilized people generally. The most popular of the legends regarding St. Patrick is that which gives him credit for driving all the snakes and similar vermin out of Ireland.

Drum Drove Out Snakes.

It seems that St. Patrick, wherever he went, was always preceded by a drum, and the noise thus made attracted the people. In this the example of the saint appears to have been imitated by the modern Salvation Army. As Patrick was terribly in earnest, so was his drummer—if he had a drummer, for the chronicles are rather vague as to this point, and sometimes we might infer that he whacked away at the instrument himself. At all events, just before going up to the hill to preach the sermon that was to finish the snakes, the drum was beaten so vigorously that it burst. The theme and object of the discourse had been announced to the people, so they had assembled in great multitudes to see the miracle performed. As they had an idea that a good deal of Patrick's power lay in his drums, they were sadly disappointed at the accident, especially as a big black snake was seen gliding down the hill with his jaws distended, a leer in his ugly eyes, and a tremor in his whole body, as if it were convulsed with laughter. But, as the story goes, an angel came down and pitched up the drum, the sermon proceeded and all the reptiles vanished as if by magic.

Age Unknown.

St. Patrick died at Saul, a place not far from Downpatrick, and in the abbey of the latter town his body was buried, amid the sorrow of the whole people. He had long looked forward to death as a release from care and as a reward for his labors, and trials. He had become blind and feeble. The saint's age at the time of his death has been the subject of very many intricate and ingenious calculations, and the estimates have run anywhere between 88 and 121 years.

It is impossible to say when the 17th day of March began to be set apart as St. Patrick's day and observed as the popular holiday of Ireland. But, whatever may have started it, there can be no doubt that the day is a national holiday in Ireland, and is observed with much enthusiasm, and that it renews and intensifies the patriotism of the people. In most of the large cities of America it is celebrated by a parade through the streets of the Irish national societies and other citizens of Irish birth or blood.

Celebration in Ireland.

In Ireland itself the celebration is less formal but more universal. The shamrock is worn everywhere, in commemoration of the fact that when St. Patrick was preaching the doctrine of Trinity he made use of this plant bearing three leaves upon one stem as a symbol of the great mystery. In every household a plateful of the herb is placed upon the breakfast table of the "master" and "mistress," who are expected to "drown the shamrock" in generous draughts of whiskey and then send the bottle down into the kitchen for the servants. In Dublin the higher

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classes conclude the festivities of the day by attending a great hall in St. Patrick's hall, Dublin Castle. None can be admitted who have not been presented and attended the viceroys' drawing room; and of course, every one must appear in court dress or full uniform. In the smaller hamlets the local inn used to be a place of universal resort for young men. A "Patrick's pot" of beer or whiskey and a small allowance of oatmeal bread and fish to each were benevolently contributed by the host. All additional orders had to be paid for. The majority of those who sought entertainment at the village inn were young men who had no families, whilst those who had children, and especially whose families were large, made themselves as snug as possible by the turf fire in their own cabins. Where the village or hamlet could not boast of an inn, the largest cabin was sought out and poles were extended horizontally from one end of the apartment to the other; on these poles doors purposely unhinged and brought from the surrounding cabins, were placed, so that a table of considerable dimensions was formed, around which all seated themselves, each one providing his own oatmeal bread and fish. At the conclusion of the repast they sat for the remainder of the evening over a "Patrick's pot" and finally separated quietly.



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LOG CASE IS PUT OVER TO MARCH 30

Perhaps you have noticed the fixed, interested gaze a man will have on the soloist of the choir when the contribution box enters his pew—Los Angeles Express.

Some men wouldn't want to pay tax on the space they think they occupy in the world.

Fred Craig of the town of Farmington entered a plea of not guilty before Judge Brindley yesterday on the charge of sawing up logs belonging to the A. S. Trow Lumber company. An adjournment was taken until March 30.

PERSONALS

Miss Millie Skoglund and Carl Sorrenson visited Miss Dora Schneck-pepper Sunday on St. Joseph's ridge.

New wall papers at Heystek's, Fourth street, opposite City Scale.

O. W. Kerley of St. Charles is in the city for a few days on a business mission.

Dr. J. G. Egan is in Chicago on business.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

The Annual Pound Social for the benefit of the Home of the Friendless will be held at the Home next Tuesday, March 17th. It is hoped the public will respond generously to this worthy cause.

Mrs. Vincent Tausche has been called to Chicago by the illness of her daughter, Gertrude, who is attending the university there.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McLain, 325 North Tenth street, twin boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Thompson were the guests of friends in Milwaukee over Sunday.

N. Haerter observed his 65th birthday yesterday.

The member of the Twentieth Century club are requested to meet at the residence of Mrs. L. W. Foster, at 1:30 p. m. Wednesday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. A. H. Mitchell.

J. Arenz, contractor, left last evening for points in Washington and Oregon.

P. Gullickson of Madison is in the city for a few days on a business mission.

Wall paper, latest styles, prices in reach of all. Heystek's, Fourth street, opposite Market Square.

C. J. Killand of Rockland is calling on business acquaintances in the city for a few days.

FOR Rent—Two furnished or unfurnished rooms for light house-keeping. Address B, this office.

N. Jackson of Dubuque has returned home after spending a few days in the city with friends.

L. A. Kirmse of West Salem was a business caller in La Crosse for a short time yesterday.

Charles Kasha of Waukon is in the city for a few days' visit with friends.

A severe cold that may develop into pneumonia over night, can be cured quickly by taking Foley's Honey and Tar. It will cure the most obstinate racking cough and strengthen your lungs. The genuine is in a yellow package. Q. T. Erhart.

W. C. Husey of Jackson, Minn., is spending a few days in the city with friends.

P. Bienenmeyer has returned to his home in Caledonia after transacting business.

E. S. Olson of Harmony was calling on business acquaintances in the city yesterday.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

H. G. Mill of Mt. Sterling was calling on business acquaintances in the city yesterday.

P. T. Fortney of Viroqua is spending a few days in the city calling on friends.

W. Pay of Victory was in La Crosse yesterday visiting old acquaintances.

For wall paper bargains, Heystek's, Fourth street, opposite Market Square.

H. Garner has returned to his home in Eau Claire after transacting business in the city.

H. W. Wollard of Bismark was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

B. O. Hustery of McGregor is a business caller in the city for a few days.

Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup is a new remedy, an improvement on the laxatives of former years, as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed. O. T. Erhart.

F. Deter of Eltzen was a business caller in La Crosse last week.

Mrs. E. Fairbanks of Hokah is the guest of friends and relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Kutchin of Chit-

cago are the guests of friends and relatives in the city.

W. J. Rutherford has returned to his home in Wykoff after transacting business in the city.

W. T. Pugh of Madison is spending a few days in the city calling on business acquaintances.

T. J. Ashtja has returned to his home in Racine after visiting friends in the city.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Line for your next hack call. Phone 179.

H. A. Lusac of Waukon is the guest of friends in the city for a few days.

W. P. Brown of Des Moines is spending a few days in the city with friends.

C. E. Parte of Lone Rock, is visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Miss Marie Edenhofer left the city Monday morning for the east.

Clerk of the United States Court Alfred Harrison is attending the Monroe term of circuit court at Sparta.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Donvin have returned to their home in Sparta, after spending the past week with their daughter, Mrs. C. H. Chamberlain.

VALUABLE DOGS

BEING POISONED

Two valuable dogs of the city have been poisoned.

Citizens are seeking to find the person who is doing the poisoning.

Yesterday the black spaniel of Adelbert Miller, the undertaker, came home poisoned, and after much suffering, died. The pretty Scotch terrier of Julius Burkhardt was treated in a similar manner.

The police it is understood are trying to locate the poisoners and believe that they have a clue which will lead to their apprehension and prosecution.

NORWEGIANS WILL

OBSERVE MAY 17

The national Norwegian holiday, May 17, promises to be an interesting event in La Crosse, if the present plans of the Normanna, Sangerkor and the Sons of Norway mature.

Prominent speakers including Governor Johnson of Minnesota will be engaged to give addresses and other features are planned.

PIONEER RAILROAD

MAN EXPIRES

William Horace Holcomb, first general superintendent of the Burlington road when it was built through La Crosse, and a former resident of this city, died Sunday at his home in Hinsdale, Ill. Mr. Holcomb was well known in La Crosse. He left here in 1871 to accept the position of general manager of the Union Pacific.

There is this about a conscience: when it odes hurt, it isn't nearly so painful as a boil.

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SOCIETY

HOME OF A. A. BENTLEY ENTERED LAST EVENING

Between the hours of 5 and 6 o'clock last evening the residence of A. A. Bentley at 216 North Ninth street was entered by "unknown" persons who took complete possession and hastily decorated the rooms in a manner which greatly surprised the guest of honor, Mrs. A. A. Bentley, who had been deceived to the home of a neighbor, but a short time before.

The guests, instead of committing a robbery, came prepared to leave a good supper, and also with paper streamers with which they decorated the parlor in pink, festooning from the chandelier in the center of the room to all sides.

Mr. Bentley was at home alone at the time and it is said that he was surprised to no small extent upon seeing the number which rushed in to the room when he threw it open.

The ladies entered first and the men followed later.

Mrs. Bentley was completely surprised.

After the dainty menu a musical program was given, Mrs. Bentley playing a piano solo and Mr. Bentley being induced to sing a character song which was greatly appreciated and caused much amusement.

Those who assisted in the surprise which was the occasion of the anniversary of Mrs. Bentley's birth, were Messrs. and Mesdames Fred Leithold, Walter L. Keating, Fred Rau, David Shaunessy, J. I. Lamb, H. A. Greene, Fred W. Fulmer, Mrs. H. Bliss and Mrs. S. L. Bowley.

QUIET WEDDING.

Albert Fischer, 1112 Berlin street, and Mrs. Mary Hellwich, 427 North Sixth street, were quietly married last Saturday evening by Rev. J. T. Gamm of the German Lutheran church. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride and only immediate relatives were in attendance. The groom is a well known bridge carpenter employed by the Milwaukee road.

PARTY FOR PUPILS.

Miss Mildred Gilbertson of 325 Pearl street, gave a pretty party on Saturday afternoon at her home for her pupils. The afternoon was pleasantly passed in playing musical games, and a nice program was rendered by the little ones. Light refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon. About twelve children were present.

TO SEW FOR BAZAAR.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Spiritualist church will meet on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Keiser, 712 Cass street, to sew for the coming bazaar. The ladies are requested to bring their thimbles and all are welcome. Refreshments will be served at the close of the afternoon. The bazaar is being worked for earnestly, and will be held on April 10th in Travelers' hall.

ST. PATRICK'S PARTIES.

A most interesting date is the 17th of March, St. Patrick's Day, and many social affairs will be held this evening to commemorate the event. The Linda club of the First Baptist church will entertain at a party this evening when a program will be given and a general good time had. The program is as follows:

Character Sketch of St. Patrick. Flora Peterson.

Selections by the Linda Club. Miss Lendke.

Piano Solo. Nina Mahlum.

Reading. Miss Cassie Mahlum.

Solo. Stella Forbes and Jessie Monty.

Instrumental Duet. Ruth, Lottie and Geo. Barret.

Piano Selection. Other features of the evening will be games and refreshments and every one is especially invited to attend.

Another St. Patrick's party which

will likely prove a pleasant affair is that given by Mr. Irish's Sunday school class in the church parlors this evening. An excellent program and many "Irish" stunts have been planned and this occasion is exceptionally interesting to the class, as it is also Mr. "Irish's" birthday.

The ladies of St. Paul's league of the Universalist church are also planning for a delightful St. Patrick's party which will be held in the parlors of the church this evening, and which will be in the nature of a costume party. A prize will be given for the best and most striking costume, and those that fail to wear something green will be fined.

SURPRISE PARTY.

Miss Marie Hovel was pleasantly surprised by a number of her friends at her home, 931 Tyler street, on Sunday. The afternoon and evening was spent in games, and refreshments were served at an early hour. Miss Hovel received a number of useful presents. Those present were: Marie Hovel, Anna Horn, Leonora Techmer, Helen Fisher, Anna Stange, Florence Hovel, Marie Jones, Bertha Blumer, Eva Techmer, Irene Fisher, Grace Fisher, Elsie Hausmann, Amada Techmer, Grace Temp, Isabella Klieck, Edna Temp, Elsie Lerker, from Chaseburg, George Kubal, Lawrence Kubal, Adolph Hovel and George Hovel.

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OF THE FRIENDLESS TONIGHT

Tonight, at the Home of the Friendless, 609 South Eleventh street, the many friends and patrons of that institution will have the opportunity to show their appreciation of the good work being done, by practical donations. It is the annual pound social of the Home, and every one is invited to come and bring a pound of something or as much more as they are able to. Everything in the way of clothing, dresses, etc., is most acceptable and will be of great use. The home to a great extent depends upon the proceeds from this annual social to run them through the year.

A program will be rendered this evening at 8 o'clock and light refreshments will also be served. A large attendance is hoped for.

HARTWELL DELEGATE

OF MYSTIC WORKERS

The North Side lodge of Mystic Workers last evening elected Attorney Fred H. Hartwell delegate and George Marvin alternate to the national convention at St. Paul this summer.

Before marriage a woman is interested in everything he says; after marriage she is interested in every thing he does.

CITY NEWS

CASE DISMISSED—Because the bill involved a sum of over \$500 and hence was out of the jurisdiction of Judge Daniel's court, the case of Joseph Bentler vs. A. J. Bentler this afternoon was dismissed. The case will be tried in the May term of circuit court.

DAY AND NIGHT EQUAL—Day and night were equal yesterday according to the weather observer. The sun rose at 6:13 a. m. and set at 6:13 p. m.

"VETS" DEFEATED—The Y. M. C. A. basketball team last night defeated the "Vets" in a hard fought contest by a score of 37 to 10. The handball tournament at the "Y" will close tomorrow. Three association fobs have been hung up for prizes.

MATCH TONIGHT—A match game of nine pins will be rolled this evening at the St. Leo hall between the St. Leo Casino and the St. Joseph's Casino.

GROUND BROKEN—Ground was broken today for the new residence of N. Nustad on Fifteenth street, between Perry and Market streets.

LABEL LEAGUE—The Women's Union Label league meets tonight at Bartl hall.

COMMITTEE FAVORS

MUNICIPAL COURT

Chairman Keppel and Supervisors Davis and Miller of the county board are planning to recommend the establishment of a municipal court in the city in order to lighten the work of Judge Fruit and Judge Brindley of certain criminal and civil work. Two sessions were held yesterday with the respective judges to ascertain the amount of work and it was decided that a municipal court in the city would be a great advantage. Although the special committee has not as yet drawn up its report for the board, it is understood that the new court to the city is favored.

DR. MILLER BACK

FROM RED WING

Assemblyman T. H. Miller has returned from Red Wing where he attended the funeral of his brother, Lucius Miller, yesterday. The deceased was 27 years of age and was unmarried. His death occurred in New York.

ORIENTAL LIMITED ROBBED

SPOKANE, Wash., March 17.—In the guise of a postoffice inspector a bandit obtained admittance to the postal car on the Great Northern Oriental limited at Bonners Ferry, Idaho, overpowered the clerks and rifled the registered mail pouch, and escaped.

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At the beginning of the present year, there were more than 3,000,000 telephones connected with the Bell system. During 1906, the Bell system gained in round numbers half a million telephones. That means an average growth of nearly 1,400 telephones a day or about one a minute, and these figures relate to growth alone. They do not include telephones which take the place of others previously in use.

A careful estimate, based on the returns made by the leading independent companies, indicates that there were in the United States outside the Bell system at the beginning of the year about 2,000,000 telephones. In other words, the Bell companies have more telephones in use than all their competitors combined.

Of the 3,000,000 Bell telephones, 95,000 are in Wisconsin and it is safe to say the 100,000 mark will be passed by the end of the present year. Wisconsin will then have one Bell telephone to every 22 persons. In the Bell system at large there is one telephone to every 28 of the total population of the United States.

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LA CROSSE 'PHONE TO CHANGE RATES

ASKS COMMISSION TO CUT OUT SIX-PARTY LINES

THEY ARE DISCRIMINATING

Company Would Eliminate \$1.50 Phones—Citizens Invited to Appear

The La Crosse Telephone company has petitioned the state railroad commission for a change in its schedule, the meaning of which is a raise in its rates for certain classes of service. The hearing is set for April 21, the date upon which the hearing of the case of the La Crosse Gas & Electric company is to be held.

The petition asks for the privilege of discontinuing the 6-party line, which means the elimination of \$1.50 telephones. It also asks for the right to make a flat rate of 15 cents per 5-minute message on the Galesville line, instead of 10 cents, and for the privilege of raising the service charge for changing location of telephones from \$1 to \$2.

The basis upon which the company asks—that the 6-party lines be discontinued—is that such service is discriminatory. Some time ago the commission urged all public utility companies in the state which had in their schedules rates that were in any way discriminating, voluntarily report them to the commission.

Manager William Goodrich of the La Crosse company concluded that such was the case in the matter of his 6-party line, and acted accordingly. The other matters were brought up as incidents to fixing a permanent schedule. The inability of operators along the country line to Galesville to keep time on messages, thus making possible a per-minute schedule there, is the reason for asking the 15 cent flat rate, 10 cents being alleged to be insufficient to pay for the service.

Regarding the 6-party line schedule, Mr. Goodrich said today:

"This service is discriminatory to this extent: It is not always possible to fill all the 6-party lines. In case there are but five subscribers, or even four, on a 6-party line at \$1.50, those subscribers are given a rate that is discriminatory against subscribers to 4-party lines at \$2, and against other 6-party subscribers at \$1.50. Our proposition to eliminate them will avoid this, and will at the same time provide a service better worth the money it costs."

The notice of the hearing sent out by the commission invites citizens of La Crosse to appear and give evidence, and to oppose the change in schedule if they so desire. No witnesses need not directly subpoenaed, however, will be paid witness fees or mileage.

SMALL FIRE BURNS TREMPLEAU ROOF

TREMPEALEAU, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—Fire supposed to have originated in the roof from a defective chimney did \$25 damage at the home of Mrs. Booher.

Will Brockenhauer has purchased the N. T. Babbitt farm east of the city for \$2,000.

Abe Pittinger has purchased the Sy Sanderson farm near Centerville. Phillip Brady, Will Crivits, Irvin Gibbs, E. A. Bright and Mr. Bidwell leave for Butte, Mont., tomorrow to engage in bridge work on the new C. M. & St. P. extension.

The M. W. A. gives a dance Wednesday, March 25, with Carpenter's orchestra.

William Babbitt of Trempealeau was in La Crosse today.

Mrs. Morrow of Silver Creek will open a cafe and bakery on Main street in the building formerly occupied by Clinton Pittinger. The Boston store bought the Pittinger stock.

Mr. Perry Shrake was in La Crosse today.

PAPKE WINNER IN RATTLING FIGHT

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 17.—Billy Papke of Spring Valley, Ill., was given the decision over Hugo Kelly after ten rounds fought at the Hippodrome building last night. The verdict did not meet with the approval of all the big crowd.

Both men left the ring with gasps over their eyes. Papke throughout the battle used rough tactics, and once hit Kelly after the gong had sounded. The Spring Valley hurricane continually butted Kelly with his head, for which he was hissed by the spectators, who were in sympathy with the Chicagoan.

The usual batch of ringside challenges were the order just before Kelly and Papke entered the ring. Tommy Ryan was among those who declared his willingness to try conclusions with the winner.

COOKE CAN'T BUCK THE WORLD

SAN FRANCISCO, March 17.—Jere H. Cooke, the deposed pastor of the Episcopal church at Hempstead, N. Y., who eloped with Floretta Whaley about a year ago, and who, it is said, telegraphed yesterday to Mrs. Keziah Whaley, the girl's grandmother, for help, saying that he and family were ill and destitute, was located in this city last night.

"We are different from the others," said Cooke. "We cannot ask friends to help us, because we threw aside friends. We laughed at the world—and the world will laugh at us. Lately I have begun to realize that no man, however strong he may or however great may be his incentive, can buck the world. It is older than us and stronger."

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This treatment will eradicate the acid poisons from the blood and build up the system to its normal healthfulness. The splendid effects will become manifest after the first few doses, but it should be continued for at least a month, or until the person has fully regained health. The worst cases of rheumatism are bound to yield to this treatment.

AN ANTI-FOREIGN OUTREKA KUMOR FROM HAYTI NOW

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min had been conspiring in the French consulate in Gonaives to bring about an uprising here March 15, says:

"Massillon Colcou, in the presence of clear proofs of his guilt, confessed his crime and denounced his accomplices. Documents found in his possession show that even officers of the palace guard were among them. The plan of the conspirators was to assassinate the chief of state and the principal members of the government."

"Those captured with arms in their hands received only the punishment which their anarchical project deserved. The treacherous officers are now being tried by court martial."

Ships From All Powers.

Following orders from the several powers, warships of the nations are converging on this port. It is announced here that the United States has ordered either the gunboat Des Moines or Eagle from Guantanamo to Port au Prince, Great Britain has sent the Indefatigable and the Cressy, the former having arrived; Germany has ordered the Bremen here from Curacao, that ship also having appeared in the harbor, and France has sent the D'Estres. The prediction made yesterday that on the arrival of the Bremen Germany would assume a hostile tone has not materialized.

Scenes Are Terrifying.

The situation here last night was terrifying. Troops were stationed on every street corner and sentries and watchmen kept vigil at intervals. All the streets leading to the palace were defended by guards so placed as to stop all traffic.

The palace was fully lighted at 7 o'clock in the evening, while darkness prevailed throughout the rest of the city. The prisons are overcrowded and all suspects arrested are placed in irons.

Gen. Nadreau, commander of the forts of Port au Prince, sought refuge in the French ministry last night and Gen. Profile has been appointed to succeed him.

The chief (minister of justice) of Hayti is also a refugee in the French legation, and he and Gen. Nadreau refuse to leave their place of refuge, in spite of the promises of the government to accord them fair treatment.

Prof. Nord Alexis is anxiously awaiting some indication of the attitude of France in regard to the ultimatum of Hayti on the subject of the refugees in the French consulate in Gonaives, which will be formally determined this afternoon.

The president yesterday afternoon during a reception in the palace informed his warmest partisans that he was not afraid of a naval demonstration and that the sooner it occurred the better, rather than remain indefinitely in the present situation.

ATTENTION U. C. T.

The funeral of our late brother, Helmer Wingstad will be held from the residence, 1352 George street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 p. m. United Lutheran church at 2:30 p. m.

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DRAWING PICTURE OF AUDITORIUM

SAENGERFEST HOME MAY BE SCENE OF RALLIES.

INDUSTRIAL FESTIVAL SURE

And the Building Will Probably Be Left Standing for Use During the Presidential Campaigns

Plans for the auditorium to be used for the Saengerfest have been completed and are now in the hands of the engraver who will make several cuts of it for production in the Festzeitung and the local papers.

The large structure will be located on the market square and will contain, as stated last evening, exhibits of the corn contest and boost local manufactured and jobbed goods as well as agriculture after the fest.

Political rallies.

It may also be left standing for a few months longer so that big political election rallies may be held in it.

Those who have subscribed will no doubt then be amply rewarded for their assistance.

"FIGHTING BOB" TO QUIT COMMAND

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(The Standard's) are at the head of fourteen combinations representing 38 per cent of the capitalization of all the industrial trusts in the country. He declared that capitalists have multiplied their wealth through reorganization beyond their own ability to know the amount accurately.

La Follette criticized the railroads for sounding a false alarm, and then cutting their service to create opinion adverse to the rate law. In mock heroics he painted Rockefeller and Morgan "rescuing the country from the panic."

"How beautifully it all worked out," he said. "We have proof of their contempt for our commercial interests, not only for the country generally, but for the legitimate trade in New York city as well, and they give aid and support to the distressed merchant and manufacturer?"

"Alas, no, they pursued the course of speculating bankers. They ministered to the needs of Wall street, and were quite deaf to the appeals of us, on his own application, because of poor health will be relieved of the command of the fleet at San Francisco. He will be succeeded by Rear Admiral Thomas.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., March 17.—To the regret of every one connected with the fleet, Admiral Evans, known all over the world as "Fighting Bob," has made this statement:

"On account of the state of my health I have asked the department to relieve me from duty when the fleet arrives at San Francisco."

Evans' Terse Comment

Both Evans and Admiral Thomas, who is to relieve "Fighting Bob," are enthusiastic over the outcome of the 17,000 mile cruise. Following is a terse statement from Admiral Evans:

"Look at us," exclaimed the admiral when the fleet had come to anchor off the little town of Magdalena in four divisions of four ships abreast. "We are ready at a moment's notice to begin shooting at the targets, to go out to sea and fight a battle, or to keep on with the cruise. If any one thinks we are not ready for target practice let him come down here tomorrow and see. And if they think we can't hit the targets let them come along and take a look at them."

"I think I voice the opinion of the whole fleet," said Admiral Thomas, "when I say that this has been one of the most, if not the most, remarkable and successful naval cruises in the history of the world. It eclipses by far anything ever undertaken by the American navy, and the beneficial results are greater than ever before were accomplished. The ships are in better condition than when we left Hampton Roads. We were ready for battle the minute we reached Magdalena bay. It is a most marvelous performance. On the last leg of the trip we actually were making more miles per ton of coal than when we started. This was due to increased efficiency in the engine forces and in the firing of the boilers."

LA FOLLETTE IN POWERFUL PLEA

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commerce. Their course was that of men who were playing with the credit of the country for a purpose."

The senator said that there were many and moving reasons back of this railway bond proposition, and he declared that once such bonds were made a legal basis for currency issue, the good faith of the country would be pledged to defeat any legislation that suggested disturbance of at least four per cent dividends upon such stocks.

FOOD MAKERS HAVE FOOT ON DR. WILEY

(Continued from page one.)

forcement of the law in certain cases where the use of substances is not certainly injurious to the human system.

Stood for Public Weal.

Dr. Wiley, it appears, has been resolving doubtful questions in favor of the public and has got himself into a peck of trouble because of it. His opponents are in a gleeful state, thinking they have at last got him effectually suppressed, and looking with a burden of disaffection from under which it will take him a long time to wriggle out.

STEAMER JAP IS FIRST UNDER BRIDGE

The first time the wagon bridge

turned this season was at 2:15 this afternoon to permit the passage of the steamer Jap from Brownsville. The little steamer has started regular service from this city to the Minnesota town.

FIRST PASTOR OF LOCAL CHURCH DIES

REV. J. R. SMITH SUCCEEDS AT CEDAR RAPIDS, IA.

CAME TO LA CROSSE IN 1866

Was Given Charge of the Church After Its Organization and Remained 13 Years

Rev. J. Riwin Smith, D. D., first pastor of the Presbyterian church in La Crosse, died yesterday afternoon at his home in Cedar Rapids, Ia., after a short illness with infirmities of old age.

Dr. Smith was born in Mercer, Pa., in 1828 and in 1851 graduated from the Jefferson college at Jefferson, Pa. He graduated from the Western Theological seminary at Pittsburgh in 1854. He was licensed to preach in 1853 and was given a pastorate at Antagon, Mich., the following year.

Dr. Smith came to La Crosse shortly before 1866 and the following year when the First Presbyterian church of La Crosse was organized, Dr. Smith accepted the pulpit, which he held for 13 years, resigning in 1879. He conducted the church at Galesville, Wis., for a number of years and later accepted the chair of president of Gale college.

For the past few years he has lived a retired life, having been in poor health for some time.

He was granted the degree of "D. D." by Lynox college, Mass.

He leaves a wife and several children. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at Cedar Rapids, after which the body will be shipped to La Crosse and services held at the First Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon.

DALZELL BUSY WITH A DENIAL BUREAU

Washington Bureau of

The La Crosse Tribune

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 17.—(By J. C. Welliver.)

One of the busiest men in Washington since the banquet of the Yale Alumni association Thursday night has been Representative Dalzell of Pennsylvania. Mr. Dalzell became highly animated early on Friday morning after he had read the papers and he has been more or less active ever since.

Mr. Dalzell's activity is due to the speech he made at the banquet in question, as quoted in the newspapers the next morning. He was reported as predicting in qualified terms that Taft would be elected. Of course, the Taft men seized on his prediction with avidity and hailed Dalzell as a true prophet.

Constitutional Reigns.

Not so the Knox supporters, among whom Dalzell had been ranked as a leading figure. There, consternation and indignation reigned. Mr. Dalzell had no sooner reached his office at the capitol Friday morning than the rains of wrath descended and the floods of condemnation came. Immediately, Mr. Dalzell set his stenographer and typewriters at work to turn out indignant denials.

According to those denials, Mr. Dalzell never said it. He was misunderstood and misunderstood. What he said was spoken in the good fellowship and communion of the banquet and was not meant to be taken seriously.

Nevertheless, the Taft folks keep on passing Mr. Dalzell's alleged speech around. They point to it as showing that the Knox leaders have seen the great white light of facts and recognize that Taft's nomination is inevitable. All indications are it will be a good while before Mr. Dalzell's denials are able to get within sight of his speech as quoted. The incident has served to remind people with long memories that it was another Pennsylvanian, Senator Penrose, who at a dinner divulged the fabric on which was based the now famous \$5,000,000 conspiracy against President Roosevelt.

REWARD OFFERED FOR DOG POISONERS

With the approach of warm weather the "dog poisoners" in the city, a gang, who for the past several years have made an annual clearance of high bred canines in various parts of the city, have started their work in clearing valuable pets.

A. L. Miller, John George and another man in the eastern section of the city, whose dogs have been poisoned by an unknown gang, have already proposed a reward of \$25 for information regarding the guilty parties.

CITY MISSION'S REVIVALISTS HERE

Rev. Thomas Mackey, known as "Little Tom" of Chicago, arrived in the city last night and will at once take charge of two weeks' revival meetings at the city mission on North Third street. His wife will arrive tomorrow. She is a minister also, and leads the singing which is a feature of their meetings. Rev. Mackey cancelled a series at Minneapolis to conduct the meetings here.

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Overdrafts	170.31
U. S. and other bonds and securities	74,053.50
Banking house and fixtures	8,000.00
In reserve banks	182,989.27
Cash in vault	99,700.54
Total	\$1,037,217.42
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock	\$50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	8,916.25
Deposits	928,301.17
Total	\$1,037,217.42

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MAN SHOT ANOTHER IN MISTAKE FOR A MOOSE

HE GETS QUICK SENTENCE

Minnesota Taken to Reformatory, but Will Make Application for Pardon at Once

BRAINERD, Minn., March 17.—To walk many miles to give himself up for manslaughter, ride in the cars from 3:45 in the morning to noon, appear before a district judge during the noon hour, plead guilty and be sentenced and start for the reformatory at 1:20 p. m., is the fate of Charles Wingren, who shot Peter Larson in mistake for a moose east of Rapid river, back from Beaudette last Tuesday. Wingren, who is a young homesteader who recently married a widow with six children, was trailing a moose in one of the most sparsely settled regions of Koochiching county, and seeing an object he supposed to be a moose, fired two shots, the second of which penetrated Larson's bowels. He died before medical aid reached him. Wingren left at once alone for International Falls and gave himself up. In company with Sheriff Walsh and County Attorney Stanton he came to Brainerd Saturday and having telegraphed to Judge McClellan, found him awaiting them while the train stopped here for dinner. The train remains from 12:10 to 1:20 and in that time Wingren had pleaded guilty and the party left at once for St. Cloud. Mr. Stanton went on to St. Paul and will lay the matter before the board of pardons at once and hopes to have Wingren released, as there was no question but that it was an accident, and the fact that the country was practically uninhabited renders the carelessness more excusable.

TWO KILLED IN OKLAHOMA WRECK

BRISTOW, Okla., March 17.—Two persons were killed, one fatally hurt, seven more or less injured, and scores of lives were imperiled when St. Louis & San Francisco passenger train No. 408, northbound, was wrecked near a high trestle across Spring Creek, eight miles west of here.

The engine, baggage and mail cars and the first coach in the train plunged forty feet into the river. An iron bolt nut on the track is believed to have caused the wreck. Physicians went from Bristow on a special train. Engineer Martin went down with his engine, which was struck by the other cars as they fell, but miraculously escaped death. Frank Gipson, who was beating his way, was pinned beneath the baggage car and engine tender. As the rescuers came he raised himself on his elbow and asked for a cigarette. He will live. Special Agent Thompson of Sapulpa is investigating the cause of the wreck. A party of boys playing in the vicinity of the wreck may have placed a bolt upon the track, but some believe it was the work of negroes, aroused over the "Jim Crow" law which recently went into effect in Oklahoma.

ENDS LIFE AT SIXTY-FIVE

IOWA CITY, Ia., March 17.—John Ezchek, a pioneer sixty-five years old, committed suicide by strangling himself. He tied a strap around his neck and kitchen door knob.

APPENDICITIS

Grape-Nuts as a Reconstructing Food.

The number of cases of appendicitis which get well by proper feeding and nursing, is not less remarkable than the number of cases which were formerly operated on only to find that the operation was unnecessary. While looking for the cause of this disease, it is well to remember that excessive starch fermentation may be considered a frequent cause, and that suggests more care in the use of starchy foods. Grape-Nuts can be retained on the most sensitive stomach and is extremely nourishing—just the ideal food for appendicitis cases. "Last Spring I was taken ill with appendicitis," writes an Ind. man. "The doctor told me not to be alarmed, for he would do the best he could to save me from the operating table. He advised me to eat nothing for two weeks, during which time I became so weak I could hardly move. The trouble began to leave me and I began to eat fruits and milk, but I did not regain the strength I had before I was sick. A friend of mine recommended Grape-Nuts. I tried it and it worked wonders with me. I soon began to gain in strength, and in a month was as strong as ever. I don't think I ever used a food that did me so much good. I now weigh 160 lbs., as against 130 before I was sick, all due to Grape-Nuts and regular exercise. My muscles are like iron and I can do the hardest work. Being employed in a printing office, I have to think a lot, and my mind is clear, thanks to Grape-Nuts." "There's a reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

NORTHWEST IN BRIEF

HURON, S. D.—James Whalen, who was injured in his blacksmith shop Friday morning by being caught in the belt of a gasoline engine, his head coming in contact with the fly wheel, resulting in a fractured skull, died of his injuries Saturday morning.

CLEARWATER, Minn.—State Engineer Cooley addressed a farmers' meeting at Clearwater and a banquet was given at the Commercial club in his honor. Mr. Cooley talked about the advantages of good roads to the farmers and how to secure them. About 300 farmers attended the meeting.

SIoux FALLS, S. D.—The annual meeting of the South Dakota Retail Lumber Dealers' association will be held in Sioux Falls on Thursday. It is expected that one hundred or more of the retail lumber dealers will be present. F. S. Vaughn of Yankton is president of the association and W. R. Wood of Parker is secretary.

MILLER, S. D.—The prohibition state convention will meet here April 7th.

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BLOW SAFE; GET \$16

CLINTON, Iowa, March 17.—Yeggmen broke into the Folkert Kadyk grocery store in Fulton, across the river in Whiteside county, Illinois, and with nitroglycerine blew open the safe. The explosion was heard, and an alarm was given, but the yeggmen got away after taking the contents of the safe, \$16.

DEATH RATHER THAN ARREST

SIoux FALLS, S. D., March 17.—Rather than submit to arrest and fearing violence at the hands of officers who were pursuing him, Moses Iron Cloud, an educated Sioux Indian belonging to Yankton Indian agency, placed the muzzle of a shotgun to his breast and pulled the trigger. The heavy charge, fired at such close range, tore a great hole in his chest and he died instantly.

HUGHES ENTERS IOWA FIELD.

DES MOINES, Ia., March 17.—Last night Gov. Hughes of New York telegraphed for rooms for his private secretary, Mr. Reynolds, during the republican state convention Wednesday. Little Hughes sentiment thus far has developed in the state and the coming of the governor's secretary is not understood here.

FIGHTING DEER KILLED

EVELETH, Minn., March 17.—Dr. Farmer's pet deer, famous with its twin for being able to rout any dog in McKinley and also for its taste for lager, was killed Wednesday by the evening train to Eveleth. The animal with its twin were picked up when only a few days old by a homesteader nine months ago. Advertising pays. Try it.

MONROE COUNTY COURT TO OPEN

SPRING TERM CONVENES AT SPARTA TOMORROW

WILL CONSUME SOME TIME

Judge Fruit and Court Reporter Harrison Leave for Scene of Legal Conflict

The March term of the Monroe county court will open this morning at 10 o'clock at Sparta. Among the cases which are in the term for trial are two on assault with intent to murder. Judge Fruit left yesterday noon. Clerk A. Harrison will follow Tuesday. The cases to be tried comprise 14 criminal issues; 14 issues of fact for jury; one issue of law for court; and 24 issues of fact for court, as below:

Criminal Issues

Emma Hummel, assault and battery; Ingwald Olson, uttering counterfeit money; Marcus Richards, burglary; Benjamin Loomis, larceny; Emil Bickel, drunkenness; James Cheshire, drunkenness; Walter Munn and Clarence Munn, burglary; Ralph Dake, Roy Dunbar, Earl Ackenhead, Frank McConnell, burglary; Julius Mause, larceny; Henry Nolte, assault to murder; James L. Fogo, assault to murder; Edward Monroe, failure to support; John Champlain, failure to support; Ernest Purpose, larceny.

Issues of fact for jury are: Otto Stotz vs. A. G. Leak; John Fauske, administrator, vs. Frank Hushka, Jr., issue joined Feb. 26, 1907; Ransom H. Barhydt vs. Charles Pufahl; Otto W. Sprecher vs. Sunset Land and Stock company, issue joined Oct. 21, 1907; Geo. S. Richards and M. Nueman vs. Wm. H. Richards, Marcus Richards, Elsie Swager and supreme lodge A. O. U. W.; Wm. Fletting vs. C. L. Anderson; William H. Sanders vs. George McQueen, issue joined Jan. 9, 1908; Martha Maxwell vs. Town of Glendale and Town of Wellington, issue joined Jan. 22, 1908; August Wolgram vs. Oscar Lippold, issue joined Feb. 6, 1908; D. F. Bowler vs. Carl Schmidt, issue joined Feb. 12, 1908; Fred Barnhardt vs. Western Union Telegraph company, issue joined Feb. 23, 1908; Minnie Bratz, vs. William Stark; Charles Koehler vs. F. A. Harris; Edward Alden vs. George H. Dake; Issues of law for court: Joseph Boehr vs. Juergens Anderson company; F. W. Waltherman vs. Village of Norwalk; Bert Steele vs. A. W. Fuller and Minnie Fuller; Wm. B. Naylor, Jr., vs. B. Whitcomb, foreclosure; John Lucas vs. C. V. Chamberlain and Edward Herbst; William J. Michelt vs. Cashton Lumber company, foreclosure; C. H. Stevens vs. Carl Fleidner, foreclosure; Mary Anderson vs. Nels Anderson; Henry Walters vs. Ann M. Farnum, et al.; Addie Alden vs. William Alden; Geo. A. Freeman vs. Mamie E. Freeman, divorce; Mary Lewis vs. John Lewis, divorce; Olive Rose vs. Albert Rose, divorce; W. F. Roder vs. Carl Warnka and Tillie Warnke, foreclosure; Hans Johnson vs. Alden Blen, et al., action to quiet title; Smith Manufacturing company vs. G. Heitman and John G. Schell, issue joined March 6, 1908; Emma Hummel vs. Theodore Hummel, divorce; Edith Reynolds vs. Wm. Reynolds, divorce; Annie M. Gondrezick vs. Emery W. Vaughn, et al., action to quiet title; George Anthony vs. Peter Johnson;

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In the two latter the beans are baked with a rich, delicately-spiced sauce made from red-ripe tomatoes, being blended in such a way that the piquant flavor penetrates the entire bean.

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RED QUEEN DRAWS SWARM OF POLICE

CHICAGO, March 17.—Emma Goldman attended a meeting of the Anthropological society yesterday afternoon to exchange greetings with some of her old friends. Before the chief speaker finished talking thirty-five or forty heavy footed, ponderous policemen, some in plain clothes, stalked in or remained just outside the hall. The policemen didn't say a word to Emma Goldman or any one else, but their presence was disconcerting, to say the least. Miss Goldman left before the meeting adjourned with Dr. Ben L. Reitman. Police reserves were still coming up half an hour after she had departed for some place on the south side.

NEW MOVE IN WAR ON TRUSTS

PITTSBURG, March 17.—That President Theodore Roosevelt is to strike a mighty blow in the struggle for further railroad legislation and abolition of illegal combinations and ruinous tariff rates is evidenced by the fact that he has just called to his assistance David T. Watson, the famous Pittsburg attorney. Mr. Watson left Pittsburg this evening for New York, where a conference of the government's representatives will be held. He was also called to Washington several days ago to confer with the president.

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To make up enough of the "Dandelion treatment," which is claimed to be relieving nearly every sufferer who uses it for backache, kidney complaint, sore weak bladder and rheumatism, get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon and three ounces Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

Those who have tried it claim that it acts gently but thoroughly on the kidneys, relieving backache and bladder trouble and urinary difficulties almost instantly. Many cases of rheumatism are known to have been relieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose.

A well-known local druggist, who is in a position to know, asserts that this prescription, wherever it becomes known, always ruins the sale of the numerous patent medicine rheumatism cures, kidney cures, etc. It is a recipe which the majority of patent medicine manufacturers, and even certain physicians dislike to see published. Few cases, indeed, which will fail to fully yield to its peculiarly soothing and healing influence. Being composed of common everyday ingredients, which can be had from any druggist, it makes up a good, honest and harmless remedy and at nominal cost.

UTILITY LAW PUTS OFFICE ON "BUM"

ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR HAD NO
POWERS LEFT

MARTIN GOES TO CHICAGO

Local Electricians are All Plugging
for the Post Which is Now Ren-
dered Practical Valueless

It is still unknown who will succeed R. C. Martin, city electrical inspector, but Mr. Martin today said that he thought that local electricians were all "plugging" for it.

Mr. Martin says that his position here would be practically useless as most of his powers of office have been taken away by the commission. He cannot ask any revision of outside wiring. If he does and makes a report no attention need be paid to it and he may be fined for making the report as well. Other matters pertaining to the office are placed in a similar position. The utilities law has usurped all power.

Mr. Martin will go from La Crosse to Chicago, where he will engage in similar duties. He had just placed his office in a nice systematic order when he received the notice of the utilities bill and its effect.

COMMITTEE VISITS POOR FARM TODAY

The committee on poor and insane of the county supervisors was at the county court house this morning making the necessary arrangements or their inspection at noon today of the county poor farm.

In the committee were Messrs. William Dwyer (chairman) Wenzel Korn, Hans A. Jacobs, Paul McHugh and S. Gullickson.

The same party will leave tomorrow for their usual visit to the county insane asylum at West Salem, where they will eat dinner and spend the day visiting the various inmates.

Lady from Philadelphia—Conductor, please let me out at Eighty-ninth street. I'm a stranger and somewhat nearsighted.

The visitor from the Quaker city sat for a long time in dreamy silence from which she was suddenly aroused by the conductor stopping the car quickly, and calling out:

"Ninety-first street, ma'am. Sorry, but I forgot you."

"Never mind," said the sweetly smiling lady from Philadelphia, "you needn't go back."—New York Times.

Hame time on their hands—Prisoners.

Did Prohibition Defeat Beckham?



J. C. BECKHAM, EX-GOVERNOR OF KENTUCKY

Ex-Governor Beckham, although defeated in his fight for the senate, is still in the game politically and a dominant factor in Kentucky politics. Democrats in practically every section of Kentucky declare that it is unquestionably the purpose of former Governor Beckham to make a supreme effort now to control the coming state convention, become chairman of the Kentucky delegation to the national convention at Denver, select the other delegates, or as many of them as he can, and to dictate the personnel of the state central and state executive committees, which will be the governing authority at the party for four years. It is thought that Beckham is determined on this course for two reasons. First, that he naturally has an ambition to control the party organization and thus maintain his leadership of the party; and, second, that if William Jennings Bryan should be elected president he and his friends feel that he will be given recognition that will enable him to again become the dominating factor in democratic politics in Kentucky. It is even hinted that his aspirations lead to the second place on the national ticket.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MITCHELL WED.

The last services to the late Mrs. Emma Mitchell will be held tomorrow afternoon from the First Congregational church at 2 o'clock. Rev. Henry Faville will conduct the services and interment will take place at the Oak Grove cemetery.

Relatives of the deceased from out of the city who are in the city to attend the funeral are: Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Mitchell of Aurora, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mitchell of Volga, S. D., and Orrin Mitchell of Trepanneau, La. A daughter, Mrs. Louis J. Campbell, will arrive tomorrow morning from her home in Washington, D. C.

She is also survived by a husband, daughter, Mrs. Earl B. Carr, and

son, Alfred Mitchell. A sister, Mrs. W. J. Tomson of Augusta Ga., and brother Steven Tomson of San Francisco, are unable to attend the funeral.

The casket will be opened at the home on West Avenue Wednesday morning for the intimate friends of the deceased.

GESSLER TO STAY IN BADGER STATE

Frank B. Gessler has returned from a trip through South Dakota, western Iowa and eastern Nebraska. He says Wisconsin looks good to him. He is looking for a good weekly newspaper property in Wisconsin or eastern Minnesota.

Lost Again.

"Hear about the hard luck of Dad Moulton, the Stanford trainer?" inquired one alumnus of another, coming back from the big game.

"No; what happened?"

"Well, Dad, you know, used to be a professional racer. Went all over the world when in his athletic prime, sprinting for money against all comers. They say he won 263 races, never was beaten but twice in all his career. One of the fellows that beat him, Dad met later in another race and outran him. Dad was after the other fellow for a long while to get a return race. But the fellow beat Dad again."

"Did before Dad got another crack at him."—San Francisco Chronicle.

A Reminiscent Experiment.

The bereaved Mrs. O'Leary with a neighbor stood sobbing over the coffin of her deceased husband.

"Oh, Mrs. Murphy!" she cried, "Oh, can't believe Pat's lyin' there dead. He's only ashlahe."

"Shure, he do look loike he wor only ashlahe," returned her sympathizing friend. "Call to him, Mrs. O'Leary—call to Pat just as ye used to wake him in 'ry mornin'!"

Mrs. O'Leary dashed away her tears and called vehemently:

"Git up, ye lazy baste, an' go out an' hunt fer a job!"—Judge.

CONTRACTOR ARENZ GOES TO WASHINGTON

Friends of Jacob Arenz, contractor, Twenty-third and Main streets, regret the fact that Mr. Arenz last evening left for Washington where he will make his future home.

Mr. Arenz sold all his belongings in La Crosse and will remain in the eastern part of the state of Washington. His family will also make their future home there.

TURTLE FIRST BOAT ON RIVER

The first boat to ply the waters of the Mississippi this season after the ice was out was the little boat called the "Turtle" of Victory, Wis., and belonging to Captain Brazee, who on the day the ice went out went out and brought up two barges of wood to the La Crosse harbor and returned.

MRS. GLEASON BUYS SIXTH ST. PROPERTY

A deed was filed at the office of Register of Deeds Aiken this morning to the effect that Mrs. Helen Gleason had purchased the residence at the west side of Sixth street, between Badger and La Crosse, for the sum of \$1,550, from Eugene Chamberlain and others.

Survivors of Coamo Shipwreck Worship During Their Peril



While the New York and Porto Rico liner Coamo, was ashore off Jones' Beach, Long Island, the 120 passengers gathered on the boat deck, and under the leadership of Bishop L. P. Wilson, of Chattanooga, held divine services. This picture shows a group of the rescued passengers, and was photographed especially for the H. N. S.



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Diplomacy.

Della—Ye can get a suit just like your missis' velvet wan for \$10 in Bargain Brown Brothers.

Norah—Yes, an' I can get wan fur nuthin' by telling me missis about the wan in Bargain Brown Brothers.—Harper's Weekly.

"A good woman," an Arabian philosopher, is accused of saying, "is not always a good wife."

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FOR RENT—House 511 King St. Inquire 223 So. 5th.
FOR RENT—3 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 324 No. 7th.
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FOUND—Ice cream at the Royal, 25 cents per quart.
FOUND—A pair of new shoes with low spots. Call 703 South 11th.

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LOST—Purse containing money. Return to Tribune office.
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La Crosse	12:10 p.m.	12:15 p.m.
Winona	12:15 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
St. Paul	12:45 p.m.	1:10 p.m.
Minneapolis	1:15 p.m.	1:40 p.m.
St. Louis	2:15 p.m.	2:40 p.m.
St. Charles	2:45 p.m.	3:10 p.m.
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"TWO CAN LIVE AS CHEAP AS ONE"

Is an old statement that is not heard as frequently as it used to be. However we are holding prices down at this store and our trade is increasing. Extra quick delivery.

- SUGAR—Best Granulated, Wednesday, 5 lbs. for ... 25c
- SPICED HERRING—Large, new, 2 for ... 5c
- SMOKED SALMON—The Red Alaska variety, per lb. ... 12c
- BRICK CODFISH—This is the genuine Codfish put up in one pound bricks, each ... 15c
- EGGS—Fresh, per dozen only ... 15c
- HOLLAND HERRING—In 10 lb. kegs, best grade, each ... 65c
- NORWAY HERRING—Large and fat, 2 for 5c or 5 for ... 10c
- FISHBALLS—Imported, none better in the market, per can only ... 15c
- SALMON—Red Alaska Salmon, in tall cans, always sold at from 15c to 20c per can, our price only ... 12c
- SWEET POTATOES—Jerseys, the very best, per lb. ... 6c
- PEANUTS—Fresh roasted per quart ... 5c
- SWEET PICKLES—Special mixed, per quart ... 12c
- ORANGES—California Navel, large, per dozen ... 29c
- SWEET HOME SOAP—Three bars for ... 10c
- SANTA CLAUS SOAP—Three bars for ... 10c
- WASHING POWDER—Johnson's 2 1/2 cent packages for only ... 10c
- WASHING POWDER—Wisdom large 25c package for only ... 15c

ENGAS' CASH GROCERY,
Cor. of West Avenue S. and Adams Street.
Old Phone 8373; New 569A

MORSE GETS SUPPORT.

ANTIGO, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—Congressman E. A. Morse of this city is receiving united support of northern Wisconsin in his fight before congress against the legislation to abolish Indian schools, maintained by the government. There are two of these schools in this state. Mr. Morse has a plan to have the government turn over the schools to the state and transform them into agricultural and industrial institutions.

NOTICE TO OUR CUSTOMERS
We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung troubles is not affected by the National Pure Food and Drug law as it contains no opiates or other harmful drugs, and we recommend it as a safe remedy for children and adults. O. T. Erhart.

WANT SALOONS CLOSED.

RACINE, Wis., March 17.—Three hundred citizens, almost every Protestant minister in the city, and members of the civic federation, met at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon to discuss Sunday closing of saloons. Strong addresses were made by Postmaster C. C. Gittings, the Rev. William Rollins, the Rev. Chynoweth, and Ald. Hilker. All favored closing the saloons, also the election of men to office who will enforce the laws.

CELEBRATE ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—The most elaborate celebration of St. Patrick's day ever held in Wisconsin will be held under the auspices of Milwaukee lodges of the Ancient Order of Hibernians at the Pabst theater tonight. Soul-stirring music and declamations by local and outside talent will form the program. There will also be a pipe organ recital. A number of prominent Irishmen from about the state will attend.

FREIGHT CHARGE HEARINGS.

OSHKOSH, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—George N. Brown, special agent of the interstate commerce commission will arrive here tomorrow to hear the complaint of the Western Freight Adjustment company of this city against fifteen railroads relative to alleged excessive freight charges. The hearings will be important to shipping interests of Wisconsin, although they directly affect only wood working industries of Oshkosh.

DUAL INDOOR MEET TONIGHT.

APPLETON, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—Lawrence university and Ripon will pit strength and agility against each other tonight in the big Alexander gymnasium here. The annual dual indoor meet is one of the features of Wisconsin collegiate life.

PARTY STRONGER THAN EVER

LINCOLN, Neb., March 17.—"In the long run a party's strength must depend on the popularity of its policies, and measured by this rule, there is no doubt that the democratic party is much stronger than it was either in 1896 or 1900."

Such was the confident assertion made by Mr. Bryan yesterday.

What a woman likes about buying clothes is that she can try to get some more.

WISCONSIN NEWS

"TELEGRAPHONE" PROVES SUCCESS

WISCONSIN CENTRAL TRIES OUT NEW SYSTEM

MAY ADOPT PERMANENTLY

Most Remote Station May Be Placed in Instant Communication With Chief Dispatcher

FOND DU LAC, Wis., March 17.—The "telegraphone," which railroad operators believe will ultimately displace the present system of managing trains by telegraph, was given severe tests at the Wisconsin Central shops yesterday morning, and the system proved such a success that there is no doubt it will become a permanent fixture. Instruments for receiving and handling messages have been installed at Kolze, Ill., North Fond du Lac, Stevens Point, Marshfield and Abbotsford. The instruments have been connected with the through Chicago-Minneapolis wire.

Yesterday morning at a test a message was sent from the yards at North Fond du Lac to Kolze and the same message was reported so distinctly in the dispatcher's office at the shops that it could be heard by everyone in the room. It is the intention of the Wisconsin Central to equip all its wrecking outfits with these telegraphones, so that reports on wrecks or accidents may be sent in from any point on the line. Each outfit has been supplied with a rod which is jointed like a fishpole. This rod is long enough so that it can be hooked over the telegraph wire and inside is a smaller wire which makes the connection with the instrument. With the aid of the rod any point on the system, no matter how remote from a telegraph station, may be placed in instant communication with the chief train dispatcher's office. Several trials were made recently.

The Illinois Central already uses the telegraphone on thirty miles of its busiest line in Illinois, that is from Kankakee to Chicago. The chief dispatcher can communicate with all operators on the line in thirty seconds' time. The system is said to be much faster than the old telegraph system.

It was said yesterday morning at the Wisconsin Central shops that the instruments were so delicately adjusted that the voice of the sender was easily recognized, and in fact it was plainer than over the telephone.

TEACHER GIVEN MEMORIAL.

TWO RIVERS, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—A bronze tablet and a life-sized portrait will be placed in the kindergarten school as a tribute to the memory of Frances Schroeder, who lost her life in the wreck of the steamer Columbia on the Pacific last summer. Miss Schroeder's companion, also a teacher in this city, escaped after a terrible experience with wind, wave and flame.

HELD BETWEEN LOGS.

BRUCE, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—Held in the vise-like grip between a load of logs and the upper sill of a large doorway for several minutes while workmen pried him out, Myron W. Coury of this village was nearly killed at Beldenville, where he was delivering logs to a veneer mill. He underestimated the height of his load and was unable to stop his team in driving through the entrance.

SKIN ON FIRE—AGONY UNBEARABLE.

Terrible Itching Burning Skin Disease Now Quickly Cured.

A purely vegetable external remedy that has been proved beyond all possible doubt to cure the worst cases of Eczema and all skin diseases can now be procured by all skin sufferers. This remarkable remedy is D. D. D. Prescription, the discovery of Dr. Decatur D. Dennis, the well-known skin specialist, and is being manufactured by the D. D. D. Co., 112 Michigan St., Chicago, Ill. The demand for this remedy has become tremendous within a short time because people are just learning that the hundreds of cures it has made seem to be permanent.

Eczema and all diseases of the skin must be treated locally, according to the views now held by foremost skin specialists and physicians; that is, you must doctor the itch where the itch is. It is useless to attempt to cure skin disease by taking drugs and medicines into the stomach. The disease is not in the blood. It is in the skin and only skin deep. You must get at the seat of the disease and kill the germ by making direct applications to the skin.

Mrs. L. B. Powell, Box 414, Caruthersville, Mo., writes: "Words cannot convey my full appreciation of D. D. D. The face of my baby boy was a solid scab, when I accidentally heard of D. D. D. I secured a bottle at once and began to apply it. It was miraculous in its cure. It healed my baby's face completely. If anyone wants further information about this I shall be only too glad to hear from them."

Testimonials of hundreds of cases of remarkable cures by D. D. D. Prescription and an interesting booklet on skin disease and its treatment, exercise, diet, bathing, etc., may be had free by calling on Hoeschler Bros., where D. D. D. Prescription and D. D. D. Soap will be found on sale.

PROVE DOG WAS IN HEALTHY CONDITION

JANESVILLE OFFICIALS VERIFY JOKE ON STATE LABORATORY

EXHUME PORTION OF CANINE

And Parts of Spinal Chord are Sent to Highest Authority Which Contradicts Madison View

JANESVILLE, Wis., March 17.—After Health Commissioner W. D. Merritt had worked a ruse on the state hygienic laboratory at Madison by sending the head of what appeared to be a healthy and harmless dog for examination, and had received a reply to the effect that the dog was rabid, he was severely criticized by Dean H. L. Russell in a public letter to the mayor. The findings with relation to this particular canine were emphatically reaffirmed. Dr. Merritt and the police went to the city dump and exhumed the remains of the decapitated dog and dissected some sections of the spinal chord. These were sent to the Columbus laboratories at Chicago, of which Health Commissioner Evans is the head and which are recognized as authority by the American Medical association. The report received states that no negro bodies or inflammation which would indicate rabies are present.

NO CASE ON RECORD

There is no case on record of a cough or cold resulting in pneumonia or consumption after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken, as it will stop your cough and break up your cold quickly. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. Contains no opiates and is safe and sure. O. T. Erhart.

AGENT OF RISK CO. GETS A JUDGMENT

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., March 17.—On final decision of a test case brought against the Union Central Life Insurance company by Harry Richey, formerly its manager in northern Wisconsin, depends numerous similar contemplated damage suits by agents against other companies which quit Wisconsin recently. Richey secured a default judgment for \$1,950 against the company on complaint that he had been dismissed and that the contract had been broken. The company will fight the payment of the judgment.

BRIBERY USED IN HIGH LICENSE ACT

MARQUETTE, Mich., March 17.—That the ordinance recently put through the common council increasing the liquor license from \$500 to \$750, was passed by means of bribery is the assertion of Ald. Peter Donovan of the Second ward. He charges that two votes were bought by the so-called saloon trust, which favors the ordinance because of the probability it would leave the liquor business in fewer hands.

APPLETON HAS SCHEDULE.

APPLETON, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—Students athletically inclined, especially in the baseball line, will have a great season according to the baseball schedule just issued. The schedule is the longest and best in the history of Lawrence university. It follows: April 25, Fond du Lac state league; May 2, Oshkosh Normal at Appleton; May 9, Ripon at Ripon; May 14, Northwestern at Watertown; May 15, St. Vincent at Chicago; May 16, Beloit at Beloit; May 23, Ripon at Appleton; May 28, 29 and 30, western trip, meeting University of Minnesota, Hamline, Macalester and St. Thomas. Marquette and Milwaukee will get a date intervening.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

APPLETON—Henry Hau, the lad arrested on a charge of manslaughter in the fourth degree for the shooting of Harry Dautermann on Feb. 4, was unable to secure bondsmen, and will be forced to stay in the county jail until the time set for his trial.

NEENAH—A pulley in the lighting plant at the Badger paper mill broke and wrecked a good share of the machinery in that part of the mill. No one was hurt.

GREEN BAY—Dr. Alexander Sprague, vice president of the state board of veterinary examiners, will build an infirmary. The infirmary will be the most complete in northern Wisconsin.

BLACK RIVER FALLS—Edward Carter of Clark county pleaded guilty to a charge of killing deer out of season, and was fined \$25 and costs.

FOND DU LAC—Eugene Sweeney, a Wisconsin Central conductor, had his leg run over in the yards and so badly injured that it had to be amputated.

MENOMONIE—Petitions to vote on "no license" at the coming election have been filed with the city clerk. The temperance question bids fair to be an important factor in the campaign.

EAU CLAIRE—Bert Ladum, member of the Eau Claire football team, recently slept twenty hours and fifteen minutes before he could be awakened.

APPLETON GETS MEET.
APPLETON, Wis., March 17.—(Special.)—The national synod of the Evangelical Lutheran church will meet in this city in August. This is the biennial session.

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MEN'S SUITS & FURNISHINGS

A REMARKABLE SALE OPENS WEDNESDAY AT DOERFLINGER'S
DON'T TURN YOUR BACK ON GOOD THINGS JUST BECOS YOU GET FOOL'D ELSEWHERE:

This store is a great public utility, has been in La Crosse and a part of La Crosse since 1882—and its founder stands at the helm today. We are here to stay. We could not afford to buncle the people if we would—and our townsfolk know we wouldn't. So you may depend upon it no quotation in this advertisement is either exaggerated or misleading. The clothes we tell of are full of dignity and good taste, have proper balance and perfect fit, and all the essentials united which good clothing must possess. If you are disappointed, upon investigation, with the misstatements of others—fall back upon the old, reliable Doerflinger store—and lean on it. Come in and look through the unmatched values in this sale for men.



MEN'S \$12.50 SUITS \$7.95

In handsome, stylish worsteds, chevots and smart mixtures, fashioning effects, light or dark mixtures, in swagable stripes, checks and colorings, values to \$12.50, for ... \$7.95

Another Great Suit Special at \$10.95

Wonderful values in this bunch of suit smartness—very latest, swellest cut, coats long or short, with or without the center vent. Peg top trousers or the more conservative shapes. Coats in the three button styles with long lapels—worth double the special price—as values are advertised in exclusive clothing stores around town, special at ... \$10.95

See the Great Values in Suits we Show at \$15.00, \$18, \$20, \$22.50 and \$25.00

Men's Furnishings in the Sale

- Men's 50c Working Shirts ... 20c
- Men's 10c Handkerchiefs ... 2 1/2c
- Men's 19c Heavy grey seamless merino Sox, pair ... 9c
- Men's good, seamless cotton Sox ... 7c
- Men's Balbriggan Undershirts or Drawers ... 2 1/2c
- Men's 50c heavy fleece lined Undershirts or Drawers ... 33c

EXTRY ! EXTRY ! EXTRY !

WHILE THEY LAST
MEN'S GOOD SUITS \$2.98

Plain black and brown Suits and a lot of grey mixed Suits. Good materials, built right and made well. Good fitting and great values at the regular prices, but phenomenal at the sale price—while they last ... \$2.98

Boys' Suits for School Wear \$1.98

Very swaggy little suits, in Russian blouse or plain jacket styles with regular knee pant. Light and dark shades, ages 2 1/2 to 7 years, in the Russian, and 7 to 16 in the regular jacket and pant styles. Choice in the sale for ... \$1.98

Men's \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 Pants 98c

In neat fancy striped worsteds in stylish hair line effects, all well made and perfect fitting. Wool worsteds that will satisfy in wear as well as in appearance. Choice this sale for ... 98c

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AN IMPORTANT SALE OF GOOD SHOES OPENS WEDNESDAY AT DOERFLINGER'S

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